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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 71 deg.; minimum, 43 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 7 miles. At midnight the temperature was 50 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 5 a.m. the temperature was 48 deg.; clear.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; brisk north wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; fresh northwest wind.

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MAKE AN ATTACK ON ELECTRIC CAR.

Koreans are Kept from Serious Riot by American Guards.

Natives Resent Accidental Killing of One of Their Number on the Railway at Seoul—Marines Save the Carmen but Not the Property—State Department Keeping Closely in Touch With Critical Conditions.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The War Department has received information today of an attack by a mob of Koreans on an electric car, the line being owned by Americans, because of the fact that it had killed a Korean. The news came in the following cablegram, received under today's date from Minister Allen at Seoul:

"This morning, on the electric railway, which is the property of American citizens, a Korean was accidentally killed. Thereupon a mob of natives attacked and partially destroyed the car. The operators of the car would have been injured had it not been for the presence of mind and action of our guard, and serious riot would have occurred."

SEOUL (Korea) Jan. 24.—[By Asiatic Cable.] An accident on the electric street railway here today which resulted in the killing of a Korean, led to rioting on the part of the populace. The marine guard at the American Legation, however, having recourse to their firearms, succeeded in preventing the trouble from assuming serious proportions.

A cablegram has been received from the Korean Minister at St. Petersburg, saying that Russia disapproved of Korea's declaration of neutrality.

RECOGNIZED AS CRITICAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Although there have been previous reports of disturbances in Korea, this is the first mob attack made thus far on the property of Americans. The railroad is owned and operated by Americans, H. R. Bostwick of San Francisco and S. Colbran being its principal owners. It runs through the heart of Seoul, the Korean capital.

The guard which made the rescue came from the American Legation. It consisted of 100 marines who were sent there some time ago to be on hand for the protection of Americans and their property. Reinforcements of this guard has been urged, and it is believed could be made in a week's time by details of marines from the Philippines, but nothing has been decided on at this point. Conditions in Korea are recognised to be critical, and the State Department is keeping in close touch with the situation. No fresh instructions have been sent as yet as a result of today's mob attack.

The Korean government has notified its legation here that it has issued a formal declaration of neutrality as between Russia and Japan in the event of war, and Minister Min Hui Cho has formally advised the State Department of this action.

Special dispatches from Seoul report the resignation of Yi Yon Gik from the army. The same dispatches say Yi Kun Sang has been appointed Korean Minister at Washington.

SOLDIERS AND POLICE ROB.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEOUL, Jan. 24.—Korean soldiers and police at Pyensyang, disguised as robbers, have looted all the wealthy natives' houses. Foreigners are growing very uneasy over the condition of affairs. The natives seem very apathetic. The weather is extremely cold.

JAPAN RAISES MONEY.

SIBERIAN TROOPS TO MOBILIZE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Special dispatches from Tokio published here this morning report that the Japanese Minister of Finance has had a conference with the leading Japanese bankers and has decided to issue a loan of 100,000,000 yen.

The Daily Telegraph says it learns from a Russian source that Viceroy Alexieff recently advised the mobilization of the Siberian troops. To this Minister of War Kuropatkin dissented, but the Czar, after considering the matter, concurred with Viceroy Alexieff, and the necessary orders were issued.

SERIOUS REPORTS REACH RUSSIA.

MOVEMENTS OF JAPANESE AND CHINESE TROOPS.

Foreign Drilled Army of Mongols Sent Beyond the Great Wall to Preserve Order in Manchuria, Say Rumors Which Cannot be Verified.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 24.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Reports of an alarming nature of the situation there continue to pour out of the Far East. These include the statements that the Japanese are landing an army at Masanpho, Korea, and that 5000 Russian troops are crossing the Yalu River. The reported dispatch of a Chinese army of soldiers, trained by European officers, beyond the Great Wall to preserve order in Manchuria cannot be confirmed here, and the reports of the Japanese at Masampho and the Russians at the Yalu are discredited at the Foreign Office here and by M. Purino, the Japanese Minister to Russia.

While the Russian government understands the situation in Korea to be disturbed and possibly threatening, it has no information of a situation grave enough to warrant the landing of a large Japanese force there. Russia freely admits Japan's right, under existing conventions, to land in Korea a reasonable number of soldiers to preserve order, but the landing of an army at this stage of the negotiations could not be viewed with equanimity.

M. Kurino is in no way anxious because of the delay of Russia's response to the latest Japanese note, and says that Japan is not pressing for an immediate reply.

"Russia will be given all the time she needs," the Minister is quoted as saying.

The statement published by the Novoe Vremya that because Russia desired peace she cannot surrender all, coincides with the distinct impression gathered by the correspondent of the Associated Press at the Foreign Office, though Russia will continue to maintain that the question of the sovereignty of Manchuria is solely a matter between Russia and China.

The Svkrt and the Listok have raised an outcry over the reported sending of Chinese troops to Manchuria, and the latter newspapers declare that if it is true that these troops go with the purpose of threatening the railroad between Port Arthur and Vladivostok, it means war with China and not with Japan.

In an interview, Soo Wei Teh, the Chinese Minister to Russia, is quoted as saying: "The talk of China going to war with anyone is absurd. We have no intention of fighting. If Chinese troops are being sent north, it is solely for the purpose of inspiring confidence in our people, who are alarmed and who would become panic-stricken in the event of hostilities between Russia and Japan. Personally, I have no knowledge of this reported movement, but the fact of it would not necessarily be communicated to me."

The Russ has attacked the Novoe Vremya for what it terms its correspondent's stupid mistake about the destination of the American Asiatic squadron, the Novoe Vremya having said the American warships were going to Yongampho, when actually their destination was Olongapo, in the Philippines, and for presaging American intervention in the Far East. The Russ declares that as the interests of America are commercial, the American government requires friendly relations with Russia.

Turks Concentrating.

SOFIA (Bulgaria) Jan. 24.—News has been received here from the frontier that Turkey is actively engaged in concentrating troops in the Adrianople district.

DISPUTED ALASKAN CLAIMS.

Three Alleged Original Locators Bring Suit at Chicago Against P. N. Anderson of the White Star.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Three suits for a total of $530,000 have been filed in the Circuit Court against P. N. Anderson of this city. Nels O. Hultberg, a plaintiff in one of the suits, seeks to recover $500,000, while Dora Adams and Hanna Hultberg ask for $15,000 each. Back of the suits, according to the defendant, is a story which had its beginning in the Alaskan gold fields in 1898.

When the rush for Alaska and the Yukon was at its height, Anderson was one of the first to arrive in Nome, and after prospecting for some time located and filed the claim known as the White Star property. He incorporated the White Star Mining Company with a capital of $30,000. In 1900, he is said to have sold his holdings in the company for more than $1,000,000 and returned to the United States.

Nels O. Hultberg, his wife and niece, Miss Dora Adams, claim to have been the original prospectors at the White Star mine, and Hultberg asserts that he struck gold in sufficient quantities to warrant working it and returned to Nome to file papers with the land agent. He was delayed for some time reaching Nome and when he did apply at the government office he learned that Anderson had already filed his claim.

FIRE BURNS ALL SAVE HOSPITAL.

AALESUND'S ELEVEN THOUSAND PEOPLE HOMELESS.

Panic Among the Townsfolk so Great That All Attempts at Leadership or Discipline Were Futile. Only Three Lives Supposed Lost.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

AALESUND (Norway) Jan. 24.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The fire which swept over this town yesterday morning destroyed every building in it with the exception of the hospital. The 11,000 inhabitants of Aalesund were compelled to camp in the open, as only a few damaged and uninhabitable houses were left standing. The children of the town had to be housed temporarily in the church at Borgund.

The panic among the people was so great after the outbreak of the flames that all attempts at leadership or discipline became out of the question. No excesses, however, were committed. The people first endeavored to save some of their property, but they soon found they had quite enough to do to save their own lives. The destruction of the town was complete within a couple of hours from the time the fire started. Over twenty steam fishing boats and many sailing smacks were sunk in the harbor in order to save them from the flames, but three steamers and many smacks were burned.

It is believed now that only three persons lost their lives. Succor has arrived from Molde Bergin and other places, and provisions are being distributed. Relief committees have been informed and have invited public subscriptions.

The King and Queen of Sweden and Norway have contributed $1500 to a relief fund, and all the other members of the royal family have also subscribed. A majority of the inhabitants of the town lost everything they had and only in a very few cases were the damages covered by insurance. Thousands of persons had to spend twenty-four hours in the open fields, where they were without food and exposed to a bitterly cold wind and a driving rainstorm.

SURGEONS GOING TO PANAMA.

One Hundred Physicians to Fight Yellow Fever and Cholera While Laborers Dig the Big Ditch.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

JANESVILLE (Wis.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. Verdo B. Gregory, formerly military surgeon in the Philippines, has been ordered to San Francisco to report to the Marine Hospital for duty in connection with the building of the Panama canal. Dr. Gregory, it is said, is one of one hundred physicians from different parts of the country who have been in the army service and ordered to prepare to fight yellow fever on the isthmus.

Several military surgeons who have made a particular study of the disease will be sent to the isthmus, and others conversant with cholera epidemics will also be sent, in order to prevent the spread of contagious diseases which may get a foothold among the laborers on the canal.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Belvidere, J. G. Kahn; Imperial, U. S. G. Todd; Grand Union, W. G. Thorpe; Normandie, J. Scannell, S. S. Spier and wife, Miss C. E. Reese; Belvidere, J. M. Williams of Pasadena.

GRAND VIZIER OF PERSIA.

TEHERAN (Persia) Jan. 24.—Prince Ain Ed Daouleh, son-in-law of the Shah, who hitherto has filled the position of Minister of the Interior, has been appointed Grand Vizier and Prime Minister of Persia.

MERCURY DESCENDS.

In North and West Cold is Great.

Upper Mississippi and Missouri Valleys and Lake Region Affected.

Great Suffering and One Death Among the Poor of Windy City.

Pittsburgh's Flood Still Covers Part of Two Cities. Fight for Coal.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—Extreme cold weather is recorded in various sections of the North and West today. The cold wave extends over a wide area, embracing the Upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys and the western lake region. Particularly severe weather is reported in the Dakotas, Eastern Montana, Northeastern Nebraska, Northwestern Iowa, Northern Illinois and Indiana and portions of Wisconsin and Michigan.

The thermometer today in this city registered 11 deg. below zero. There is suffering among the poor people, and many of the homeless applied at the police stations for shelter. Only one death, that of a fisherman, has so far been reported. The weather bureau observer says that it is possible that the mercury may go to 20 deg. below tomorrow and that the cold wave will last several days yet.

At St. Paul today, the minimum on the official thermometer was 33 deg. below. Other thermometers registered as low as 40 below. Bismarck reported 28 and Superior, Wis., 36. It is number of places in the Northwest, it was colder than ever before this year. A severe blizzard raged at Houghton, Mich., trains being late and traffic badly impeded.

PITTSBURGH'S FLOOD.

TWO CITIES PARTLY SUBMERGED

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Jan. 24.—The flood of yesterday has in a great measure passed this point, but portions of the two cities are still submerged and will not be freed from the water until after midnight.

In Allegheny, the gas supply was erratic. The distribution of coal by the city authorities in the poorer neighborhoods brought about a riotous condition. When the fuel was dumped in the streets men, women and children fought for its possession, requiring a strong guard of police to preserve order.

Wreckage and huge cakes of ice strew the streets. A thick sediment of slimy mud, mingled with ice, makes many districts unfit to walk through. Huge timbers, portions of doors, stairways, barrels, boxes, cans and other debris washed upon the streets by the flood have rested where the water left them. The big coal companies have been busy all day preparing their fleets for coal shipments to the South.

SUSQUEHANNA CHOKED.

WATER COVERING TOWNS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WILKESBARRE (Pa.) Jan. 24.—Telephone advices received here tonight by the Associated Press state that an ice gorge has formed in the Susquehanna River and for a distance of thirty miles the river is entirely blocked. Nearly the whole town of Rupert is submerged, and on Water street the water comes up to the second story. The Pennsylvania railroad station is surrounded by water, and several houses have been moved from their foundations and the great majority of the farms are under water.

At Bloomsburg, the ice is jammed up forty feet high, and the large bridge over the Susquehanna at that place has been moved five feet and is expected to collapse at any moment. One-third of the town of Bloomsburg is submerged by the waters. The village of Espoy, two miles north of Bloomsburg, is partially submerged. Many families have been driven from their homes by the rush of waters, and many had narrow escapes. Farmers in many instances had all their horses, cows and other live stock drowned.

The river here tonight registered 17.3 feet, a fall of 4 feet from its highest stage.

FLOODS AROUND WHEELING.

GREAT DEAL OF SUFFERING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WHEELING (W. Va.) Jan. 24.—The crest of the flood swell was reached at 4 o'clock this afternoon when the stage was 44 feet 2 inches. Fully one-third of the homes in the city were wholly or partially inundated, and the sharp fall in temperature has caused a great deal of suffering. On the island very few streets are out of the water, and many second stories are invaded, but the residents are accustomed to floods, and have made arrangements accordingly. The weather remains cold.

In Benwood there is not a single block that is high and dry, and the 5000 people there are living in second stories or on the hillsides, while the suffering is intense. In Bellaire, Bridgeport and Martin's Ferry, on the Ohio side, the situation is not so bad, as the ground is higher.

TOWNS UNDER WATER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW CUMBERLAND (W. Va.) Jan. 24.—Fully one-half of this town is under twelve feet of water tonight, and a blizzard is raging. Dozens of factories

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DRIVING OUT JIMINEZ.

Dominican Government Has Scored Further Victories Over His Forces.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CAPE HAYTIEN (Hayti) Jan. 24.—[By West Indian Cable.] Gen. Deschamps and other partisans of Gen. Jiminez, who took refuge in the American consulate at Puerto Plata, have gone on board the United States cruiser Hartford, and will be taken to Cuba.

Gen. Jiminez is at Monte Christi, his cause is hopeless, as the government troops have won further victories at Laveaga and Moca.

DRIVEN TOWARD BORDER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JUAN (P. R.) Jan. 24.—News received here from a good authority in Santo Domingo says the entire force under Gen. Jiminez, the revolutionary leader, is being steadily driven from Dominican territory toward the Haytien border.

CHINESE SLAY RUSSIANS.

Marauders Engage the Czar's Forces on the Soil of Manchuria.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Chee Foo correspondent of the Daily Mail cables that an engagement has occurred on the Manchurian Railroad between Russian troops and Chinese marauders, in which three Russians were killed.

The government, the correspondent continues, has placed an embargo upon all horses at Port Arthur and has forbidden the sale of provisions without the consent of the authorities. Troops are pouring into Port Arthur from the north, and the entire garrison has been employed in maneuvers.

Viceroy Alexieff is suffering from angina pectoris, and was unable to attend the military conference held Sunday.

RUSSIANS JUMP ON WOMEN.

Marines Wreck Twenty-four Houses at Vladivostok and Wound Many Persons

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Letters from Vladivostok, says the Tokio correspondent of The Times, relate that a party of Russian marines landed there January 9 and subjected the Japanese residents to great violence. The Russians wrecked twenty-four houses, assaulted women, and wounded old women and children. The riot lasted twenty hours. The rioters were accompanied by officers, and were not restrained by the civil authorities.

The Japanese press asks what may be expected during war when such things take place in time of peace. The newspapers urge the withdrawal of all Japanese from Siberia.

PRESIDENT AIDED LYNCH.

Remarkable Story of Release of Irish Leader.

King Edward Frees Him Without Pardon.

Davitt Told Lipton What the Executive Said.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Jan. 25.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Col. Arthur Lynch, who commanded the Irish brigade against the British forces during the war in South Africa, and who was afterwards convicted of treason and sentenced to imprisonment for life, was released yesterday morning liberated "on license." Lynch has not received the royal pardon.

The Associated Press learns that the liberation of Col Lynch is the outcome of an interesting series of events. When Michael Davitt was last in the United States, he saw the President, who mentioned Col. Lynch to him, saying he (the President) had once entertained Lynch at Albany. The President expressed great interest in the case, and regretted that he could not suggest clemency without laying himself open to a palpable snub.

On his return to England, Davitt mentioned his conversation with the President to Sir Thomas Lipton and to Mrs. Lynch, who has suffered bitterly since her husband's arrest. He at once made a pathetic appeal to Sir Thomas, who then personally interceded with King Edward on behalf of the condemned fellow-Irishman. Without any hesitancy, His Majesty promptly informed the Home Secretary of his wishes in the matter, and the prisoner was released.

Col. Lynch, who completed a year in prison last Saturday, was the only political offender in prison in Ireland. Patrick A. McHugh, ex-member of the House of Commons, who recently shared this distinction with Col. Lynch was released from jail through the meditation of Sir Thomas Lipton with King Edward.

Col. Lynch will enjoy personal liberty, and may even leave the country, should he care to do so, but not having received the Royal Pardon, he is disqualified from sitting in Parliament and from holding any public office.

BLOWING-UP OF GLENNON.

Particulars of the Fate of the Engineer of the Makewell Ditch in Kauai.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HONOLULU, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] G. H. Glennon, the civil engineer who had charge of the construction of the big Makewell ditch on the island of Kauai, was blown up by dynamite, last week, as he lay in his tent, and was instantly killed.

Gamblers had infested the camp of Japanese workmen for some time, fleecing all hands. Glennon, who came from Redwood City, Cal., investigated the matter, discovered the gamblers and expelled them from the camp. He seized some of their horses and saddles to reimburse the victims. The gamblers swore to have revenge. While Glennon was asleep, some one placed under his bed several sticks of dynamite, to which a time fuse was attached. At 9 o'clock, an explosion aroused the whole camp. The mangled body of Glennon was found near his tent. The criminals have not been found, though a reward of $600 has been offered.

JAILING OF HARPER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HONOLULU, Jan. 24.—William R. Hoare, the British Consul, has begun an investigation of the charge of discourteous treatment made by Kenneth Harper, who went to San Francisco from Auckland, New Zealand, last November, to accept a position in a bank, but who was not allowed to land, under the provisions of the Contract-Labor Law. He was ordered deported on the steamer Sonoma. While the Sonoma was in the port of Honolulu, Harper was placed in jail for safe-keeping. The investigation is made at the instance of Premier Seddon of New Zealand.

RUSSIAN SEE IN ALASKA.

Rt. Rev. Tikhon's Expected Arrival in New York is Preceded by News of Proposed Change.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Rt. Rev. Tikhon, Russian orthodox bishop of North America, is among the passengers on the Auguste Victoria, which was reported off Nantucket this morning and will reach her dock early tomorrow. The bishop is returning from an extended visit in Russia, where he went in the interest of the Russian church in America. Simultaneously with his arrival, the announcement is made that the synod has decided to create a new episcopal See in Alaska, with a bishop coadjutor, and that Rt. Rev. Innocent has been appointed to the position.

The consecration of the new See was demanded by the growth of the Russian church in this country. During the past five years, the number of its parishes and its congregations have been doubled, and the enormous territory which the American mission covers made it impossible for Bishop Tikhon to care for it alone. His diocese includes all North America and the Aleutian Islands and the necessity for a bishop coadjutor has been made more pressing by the general movement on the part of Austrian and Hungarian Slavs of the Roman-Uniate confession, who have been immigrating to America in large numbers to return to the Eastern orthodox confession, from which they were separated in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. This religious movement had its origin largely in the eastern part of Bishop Tikhon's vast diocese, and as it demanded his personal attention and care, he represented to the Holy Synod the necessity of a coadjutor in Alaska. His representations were successful, and Bishop Innocent will have his residence in Sitka, which, until 1872, was the cathedral town of the Russian orthodox mission.

The See of the governing bishop will remain for the present in San Francisco, but it is proposed in the near future to transfer it to New York, which possesses in the cathedral of St. Nicholas, in East Ninety-seventh street, the finest Russian church in America.

Bishop Innocent is a young man, being now in his thirty-sixth year, and as a hieromonk has done much missionary work in this country. He is an English scholar, and is thoroughly familiar with American [illegible]

At the time of his selection as Bishop Coadjutor of Alaska, he was abbott of the Monastery of the Miracle at Moscow. Bishop Innocent is expected to arrive here early in February, and will proceed immediately to Alaska.

FOR SATISFACTION AT THE POLLS.

ST. LOUIS AGITATORS COUNSEL THEIR FOLLOWERS.

Central Trades Union Adopts Resolutions Denouncing Gov. Dockery and Chief of Police Kiely for Taking Such Rigid Cognizance of Strike.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 24.—At a meeting tonight of the Central Trades and Labor Union, embracing all the labor unions in St. Louis, resolutions were adopted indorsing the strike recently declared by the drivers for liverymen and undertakers, and denouncing the course of Gov. Dockery and Chief of Police Kiely in taking such rigid cognizance of the strike and permitting non-union men to be sworn in as private watchmen empowered to carry arms. The resolutions declare that the actions of these two officials has caused the public to misunderstand the strike, and to believe that it is attended with danger to life and property, instead of being simply an endorsement of demands for higher wages and a limited number of working hours.

All union men are urged to secure satisfaction at the polls when the election comes. The members of the Liverymens and Undertakers' Association are also declared to be unfair, and union men are called upon to refrain from hiring carriages or patronizing the association in any way. Otherwise, the strike situation remains unchanged.

Young women sympathizers of the striking hackmen and carriage drivers have pledged themselves to postpone several prospective weddings until the strike is settled, or utilize moving vans and wagons rather than ride in carriages driven by non-union men. The young women are all members of unions, and the wedding dates for many of them had been fixed. When their resolution became known to the strikers tonight they were enthusiastically felicitated.

RECEIVED BY HOLY FATHER.

ROME, Jan. 24.—Rt. Rev. Stephen Rivelle, Bishop of Sandhurst, Australia, was received in private audience by the Pope today, and presented to the Pontiff Mrs. and Miss Loughborough of San Francisco, who brought with them a photograph of the Pope, to which he affixed his signature, at their request.

WALKING AROUND WORLD.

MONTE CARLO, Jan. 24.—George W Schilling, who left Pittsburgh in August, 1897, on a bet that he could walk around the world in seven years, arrived here Saturday. Schilling has previously been reported on his walking tour from Japan, India and South Africa.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chicago is again in the grip of winter. Sunday was sunshiny, but intensely cold. The maximum was 2 deg. below; the minimum 11 deg. below. Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 4 below; Bismarck, 2 below; Cairo, 26; Cheyenne, 24; Cincinnati, 28; Cleveland, 6; Davenport, 10 below; Denver, 26; Des Moines 10 below; Detroit, 4 below; Dodge, 18; Dubuque, 14 below; Duluth, 34 below; Edmonton, 2 below; Escanaba, 14 below; Grand Rapids, 6 below; Green Bay, 14 below; Havre, 6 below; Helena, 10; Huron, 16 below; Indianapolis, 6; Kansas City, 8; Lander, 24; Marquette, 12 below; Milwaukee, 16 below; Minnedosa, 36 below; Moorhead, 26 below; North Platte, 6; Omaha, 10 below; Rapid City, 8 below; St. Louis, 14; St. Paul, 22 below; Sault Ste. Marie, 4; Springfield, Ill., 2; Springfield, Mo., 36; White River, 18.

LEGREE'S TERRIBLE RIDE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOMAH (Wis.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Carried ten miles, pinioned under a handcar on the pilot of an engine, and alive to tell the tale, was the experience of W. A. Legree, a section man, yesterday, near Sprague. The engine men did not know they had struck anyone until Babcock was reached. One of Legree's feet had rubbed on the rail until his shoe was worn away, but outside of the shock he was none the worse for his experience.

MUSHROOMS IN AMERICA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COLUMBIA, (Mo.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mushrooms can be grown in America equal in quality to the French product, and in a few years will be as cheap as any garden vegetable, and the importion from France which means to America many millions annually, will perhaps stop entirely, according to Dr. B. M. Duggar of Missouri University, who has announced the result of many years experimenting. He has discovered that the tissue from mushroom heads furnishes planting material for a new crop, and when planted in a bed of rich soil prepared for the purpose will produce a crop that can be harvested within six weeks.

PUMPED-OUT FIREMAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MANITOWOC (Wis.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Richard Webb, a fireman, holds the record here for egg consumption, eating eighteen raw eggs last evening on a wager. He later became so violent that it required five men to hold him. A doctor was summoned and used a stomach pump. Webb is now in a critical condition.

BUSTER McGONIGILL MARRIED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Clay McGonigill, the world's champion roper, was married after winning the $1000 roping and bronco-busting tournament that ended here today. The bride was Miss Annie Laurie Johnston of Sealy, Tex., the daughter of a wealthy cattleman. McGonigill has won $10,000 in roping contests in the last ten months, and said today that he had spent every cent of it.

SHOOTING OF CATT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EVANSVILLE (Ind.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Willard Catt a farmer, aged 35, who is charged with being one of the assailants of Mrs. Lafayette Dedman, Friday night, was shot by Marshal Watson of Petersburg this morning. The marshal sprained his ankle, and was forced to abandon the chase. Other officers took up the chase and trailed Catt several miles by his bloody tracks. It is thought that he is badly wounded and will be located before morning.

RESCUE OF EIGHT MEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOLEDO (O.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A sensational rescue was made here today of eight men who were caught on the Wheeling and Terminal drawbridges. They went upon the bridges yesterday, and the steamer Barnes, breaking loose from its moorings, cut their shore lines. The United States life-saving crew from the Marblehead was summoned, and after working nearly all night gave it up until daybreak. It was nearly noon, however, when the lines were shot across, so that one of the men who had suffered less than the rest from exposure made the line fast, and with assistance all were rescued.

BRIGHAM YOUNG'S THREATS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SALT LAKE, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A portion of Brigham Young's diary has just come to light. Here are extracts:

"1857, July 12: I wish to avoid hostilities with the United States, but before I will see this people, the Mormons, suffer as they have done, I will draw my sword in the name of Israel's God and permit the bones of myself and family to bleach with those of my brethren and sisters on the mountains, and say to my brethren: 'Let our sword fall upon our enemies.'

"July 24: I said if Gen. Harney came here I should know the intention of the government, and it was carried unanimously that if Harney crossed the South Pass the buzzards should pick his bones. The feeling of mobocracy is rife in the States; the constant cry is, 'Kill the Mormons.' Let them try it."

RIVETER INHERITS $500,000.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RACINE (Wis.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Lewis Fischer, aged 20 years, who until recently resided in Racine and was employed in livery stables and factories, has fallen heir to a fortune of $500,000 in Pittsburgh. After a year's search, Fischer has just been found in the riveting room of the Chicago Shipbuilding Company at South Chicago.

SOLONS WITH LA GRIPPE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS (La.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because the members of the Mississippi Legislature, in session at Jackson, are accustomed to open fireplaces and unused to steam heat, a mild epidemic of la grippe has developed among them. With rare exception, every member is either laid up or is suffering with severe colds. The new building has steam heat, which usually makes the place hot. During the sessions the members go in and out of the steam-heated enclosure without taking proper precautions against colds.

UTAH FOLK INDORSE SAN PEDRO HARBOR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SALT LAKE (Utah) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Tomorrow, resolutions passed by the Salt Lake Commercial Club indorsing the improvement to the San Pedro inner harbor will be forwarded to the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, Senators Kearns and Smoot of Utah, and Congressman Howell and State Engineer Dolemus. The resolutions give the heartiest indorsement of the plan, as will be seen by their wording, which is as follows:

"Whereas, the Commercial Club, as the representative of the business interests of Salt Lake City and the State of Utah, recognize the fact that when the San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake Railroad is completed, as it probably will be within the current year, the harbor at San Pedro will become, by reason of shorter mileage and reduced grades, the nearest and most accessible Pacific Coast port for serving the commercial interests of said City and State, and will necessarily result in a very large volume of business passing through Salt Lake City by rail, destined for the nearest Pacific Coast port over a great mileage of railroads, centering in our city and extending thence to the East, North and South, and whereas, the Commercial Club recognizes the further fact that the construction of the isthmian canal will be shortly be entered upon, and that, when completed, San Pedro Harbor will undoubtedly assume great additional importance to this entire region, on account of serving as the harbor, accommodating much of the commerce which will come from Eastern cities to be passed through a Pacific-Coast port, and transferred thence by rail to the cities of this intermountain country, thereby greatly reducing freight rates and charges, therefore, be it

"Resolved, that the continued improvement by the government of the United States of the inner harbor at San Pedro is of paramount interest to the State of Utah, in common with all other intermountain States.

"Resolved, further, that we call upon and urge the Senators representing the State of Utah in the United States Senate, and the Representatives of the State of Utah in the House of Representatives, earnestly and diligently to work for the appropriation by the government at the present session of Congress of the balance of the total sum estimated by the Board of Engineers of the United States as necessary for making the inner harbor at San Pedro an adequate port for the accommodation of all kinds of ocean commerce, including vessels large enough to carry trans-Pacific freight, and that the same be put under the continuing contract system, so that the improvement so urgently desired by the commerce of the entire Southwestern portion of the United States may be completed at the earliest possible date.

"Resolved, further, that the secretary is hereby directed to send a copy of these resolutions to the Senators and Representatives in Congress from this State.

[Signed] "EDWIN F. HOLMES, "President.

"Attest: JOSEPH W. HOUSTON, Secretary."

GALE IN PORTO RICO.

Record of Thirteen Years Broken for Continued Blow—Much Damage Done to Young Sugar Cane.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN JUAN (P. R.) Jan. 21.—[By West Indian Cable.] For the past five days a high easterly gale has been blowing over Porto Rico, and the record of thirteen years for a continued blow has been broken. The wind has done much damage to the young sugar cane.

The crew of the schooner Scions and part of her cargo was saved, but the boat was lost. The high wind has interrupted communication by wireless telegraphy between San Juan and Culebra.

ELEPHANT TRAINER CRUSHED.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—George T. Lockhart, the well-known elephant trainer and circus proprietor, was accidentally crushed to death today by an elephant, while he was attending to the unloading of circus animals at the Hoe-street railroad station at Walthamstown.

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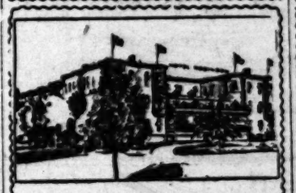

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DEMOCRATS ATTACK GORMAN'S PRESTIGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ANNAPOLIS (Md.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With a view of arranging some plan by which the Democratic regular organization can break the deadlock over the election of United States Senator, early this week, it is understood that a conference of leaders with Senator Gorman will be held in Washington tomorrow. All the candidates except Isidor Raynor will be present.

Senator Gorman's enemies in his party are taking advantage of the situation to cultivate seeds of dissension and urges that Freeman Rasin, the party leader in Baltimore city, be "kicked out," and the Raynor people are making covert threats that if Gorman defeats "the popular choice" he will split the party and provoke a bitter fight over the control of the delegation to the national convention. Every possible means of pressure is being brought to bear upon him to permit the election of Raynor.

It is the fight of Gorman's life for the party organization which he has dominated for so many years.

BAWL FOR GORMAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Baseball fans here are booming Senator Gorman for President because he was a star player in the old nationals in early days, when they were champions. Ban Johnson, in discussing Gorman's candidacy, said: "If Gorman is a candidate, I am going to put a man out making Gorman speeches before we start playing, at every club in which I am interested."

"ROOSEVELT LUCK."

BRYAN WORKING FOR IT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Roosevelt luck" is what the Republicans here call the demands of W. J. Bryan that the Democratic national platform of 1900 shall be reaffirmed. They all think that Bryan will have some influence in the St. Louis convention, and while they are not certain that he will be able to dictate the platform they hope that he will be. They ask for nothing better than a reaffirmation of the platform of 1900. If the Democratic convention should reaffirm the platform, the President thinks he would have a comparatively easy battle and be elected by as great a majority in the electoral college as President McKinley received four years ago.

NEW YORK IS SOLID.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] New York will send a solid Roosevelt delegation to the Republican national convention. It will be an instructed delegation, too. There will not go from this State a single Hanna delegate or any delegate who is not pledged to vote for the President's nomination when he gets to Chicago. These statements are made on the authority of Gov. Odell and influential Republicans who have conferred with him in this city in the last two days.

PACIFIC SLOPE.

WHOLE TOWN FIGHTS FIRE.

Leavenworth, Wash., Escapes Through Hard Work.

Several Buildings Burn, With Considerable Loss.

Homer Burt is Still Alive. Footpad's Two Victims.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE, Jan. 24.—A special to the Post Intelligencer from Leavenworth, Wash., says:

"Fire, which started at 6:30 o'clock this morning in Andrews & Burke's block hall destroyed several buildings and, fanned by a strong wind, for a time threatened the entire town. The loss is between $40,000 and $50,000. Only a small portion of the damage was covered by insurance.

"The buildings burned were Andrews & Burke's Hotel, Rogers's saloon, Bloom's general store, Bloom's butcher shop and the American and Overland hotels.

"The whole town turned out to fight the flames, and it was only by vigorous work that the fire was prevented from spreading further than it did."

JAMES RIX'S CHARGE.

SON'S KICK KILLED MOTHER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Urged by what he considers wrongs of the woman whom he loved and wanted to marry, James Rix of Thirteenth and Harrison streets, says that he will tomorrow swear to a complaint charging Bert Hunter with causing the death of his mother, Mrs. Allie Fredericks, who died January 29 at the county infirmary. Mrs. Fredericks was taken there some months ago, suffering from a broken leg. The wound refused to heal, and becoming infected, caused death. Rix declares that the broken limb was the result of a kick administered by the woman's son, Bert Hunter, in a quarrel.

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At the hospital it was found the knife had penetrated the woman's lung. She may die. She says she never saw Dargan before and attributes his assault to attempted robbery.

Dargan will recover. His father is W. P. Dargan, a well-known citizen of Darlington, S. C.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

New Hotel Vancouver.

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Jan. 24.—It is announced that Mrs. Sayter Reid, a society leader of Quebec, and well-known throughout Canada, will decorate the new Hotel Vancouver in Victoria. It is stated that her remuneration for the commission will be $10,000.

Experienced Rough Weather.

KINGSTON (Jamaica) Jan. 24.—The Hamburg-American Line steamer Princess Victoria Louise, Capt. Russer, which sailed from New York, January 9, with 150 American tourists aboard, arrived here this morning from Curacao. The steamship experienced rough weather while crossing the Caribbean Sea, but all of her passengers are well and enjoying the trip. The vessel will sail tomorrow for Santiago de Cuba.

Vancouver's Single Tax.

VANCOUVER (B. C.) Jan. 24.—A single-tax proposition is to be introduced in the Vancouver City Council. Alderman Francis Williams, who has just been elected, is fathering the plan. Under the present assessment plan, 50 per cent. of improvements are exempt. Williams's plan is to exempt 70 per cent. of the value of improvements and to increase the rate on the land assessment to make up the deficiency.

British Bark Stranded.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The British bark Marlborough Hill, Capt. McMillan, from San Francisco for Leith, is stranded six miles south of Bridlington, Yorkshire.

Warships at Colon.

COLON, Jan. 24.—The United States steamship Mayflower, Capt. Albert Cleaves, left here for Norfolk, Va., this morning. The flagship Olympia and the torpedo-boat destroyer Truxton are at present the only American warships in the harbor.

Lone Footpad's Two Victims.

SALINAS, Jan. 24.—James McCoy of Moricojo, section foreman of the Pajaro Valley Railroad, and one of his men, while driving to Castroville last night, were held up by a lone footpad, two miles from Cooper Switch, and robbed of all their money and jewelry.

Persia's Prime Minister

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Mirza Ali Asghar Khan, Prime Minister of Persia, who arrived here yesterday from the Orient, en route to Mecca, left today on the Overland Limited for Chicago. On account of his anxiety to reach his destination with as little loss of time as possible, the Persian Prime Minister said he would be unable to accept any attentions from the authorities at Washington. He will spend a day in Chicago and a day at Niagara Falls, and will sail from New York Saturday of next week.

Drowned Near Baden.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—William Bryant and Edward Holworth, young men of this city, were drowned today near Baden. With two companions, Holworth and Bryant were hunting in a small boat, which was swamped. The companions saved themselves, one by swimming ashore and the other by clinging to the partly-submerged boat.

Brakeman Decapitated.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—When the Santa Fé overland reached Point Richmond today, it was reported that Brakeman Mutter had been killed near Modesto. When he was missed from the train, it was backed up and Mutter's decapitated body was found near the track. It is supposed he fell off the cars.

Saloon Man Asphyxiated.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Henry L. Schnier, a saloon-keeper, was found dead in his room today. A gas heater was opened and unlighted, and asphyxiation resulted. The Coroner was unable to decide whether it was a case of accident or suicide.

Episcopal Church Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—The fifty-fourth annual convention of the Episcopal Church in the diocese of California will meet in Grace church Tuesday. The convention sermon will be preached by Rev. Mardon Wilson, secretary of the diocese and rector of Christ Church, San José. The sessions will last four days and include a grand missionary meeting for Tuesday evening.

ARCHDUKE'S CHOICE.

Nephew of the Austrian Emperor Reported as in Love With Daughter of Professor of Mathematics.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VIENNA, Jan. 24.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Reports are being persistently published that Archduke Ferdinand Charles, nephew of Emperor Francis Joseph and brother of the heir presumptive to the throne, Archduke Francis Ferdinand, is determined to marry Bertha Czuber, daughter of a professor of mathematics in Vienna University, and it is even asserted that the wedding has been fixed for February 13, at Dresden.

An official paper, the Magyar Nemzet, however, declares that these reports should be received with the utmost reserve. It says also that Emperor Francis Joseph, without whose consent it is inconceivable that the Archduke will contract such a union, has never been approached on the subject, and that it is impossible to foretell what his decision would be in case the proposition reached him. According to all reports, the nearest relatives of the Archduke are doing their utmost to persuade him to abandon the project, but as to the result of their efforts the reports are conflicting.

OBITUARY.

Duke of Anhalt.

DESSAU (Duchy of Anhalt, Germany) Jan. 24.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Friedrich, Duke of Anhalt, died at Castle Ballenstedt today, aged 73 years. He suffered an apoplectic stroke yesterday.

Merton C. Allen.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Merton C. Allen, for many years a well-known newspaper man of this city, and more recently a deputy in the office of the City and County Treasurer, passed away today. He has been ailing for the past four months from tuberculous peritonitis.

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COLD.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

are submerged, and a big Chelsea China Company plant is greatly damaged.

At Empire, two miles above on the other side of the Ohio River, the town is under ten to fifteen feet of water and nearly all of the population is camped out in box cars. A heavy landslide has covered the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad tracks.

KANSAS AND MISSOURI.

COLDEST WEATHER OF WINTER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Jan. 24.—The coldest weather of the winter is being experienced tonight in Kansas and Western Missouri. At 7 o'clock tonight, the temperature in Kansas City was 8 above zero and falling, and the weather office says that it will go below zero. Kansas points report zero weather. The ground here is bare of snow. T sharp north wind is blowing.

NEBRASKA'S COLDEST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Jan. 24.—The coldest weather of the winter was recorded by the weather bureau today. The thermometer was 12 below, and at no time during the day did the mercury go above the zero mark.

MICHIGAN FEELING IT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DETROIT (Mich.) Jan. 24.—This is the coldest night of the winter in Detroit and Southern Michigan. At 9 o'clock, the government thermometer registered 6 deg. below zero.

OHIO PARTLY OPEN.

FREEZING WEATHER PREVAILS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CINCINNATI, Jan. 24.—With the arrival here of the steamer Courier last night, navigation was opened in part of the Ohio River after a complete suspension of almost two months. Two small packets were wrecked by the breaking of ice gorges, and the number of barges lost will never be known. The total loss is placed at $200,000. The indirect loss is much greater.

Freezing weather again prevails throughout the Ohio Valley, the river is now too high to be again closed.

MINNESOTA RECORD.

ST. PAUL HAS 27 BELOW.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PAUL, Jan. 24.—According to the weather observer, the mean temperature prevailing in St. Paul today established a new record, being 27 deg. below zero. The maximum for the day was 22 deg., and the minimum on the official thermometer was 33 deg. below. Other thermometers registered as low as 40 deg. below during the early morning hours. A high wind prevailed early in the day, greatly intensifying the suffering of those compelled to be out of doors.

WISCONSIN AND NORTHWEST.

COLDEST OF THE WINTER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 24.—The coldest weather of the winter was experienced in the entire Northwest today. Superior reported a maximum temperature of 36 deg. below zero; La Crosse 24 and Milwaukee, 16.

WISCONSIN COLDEST.

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MILWAUKEE, Jan. 24.—Specials to the Sentinel show that Wisconsin is experiencing the coldest weather tonight of any State in the Union. Richmond reports a temperature of 45 deg. below zero, Haywards and Cumberland 40; Superior 35, and Unity 38 below. Oshkosh reports the coldest weather in sixteen years, the registration being 38 below. A strong northwest wind is blowing and trains throughout the State are running irregularly.

MAUMEE GORGED AGAIN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOLEDO (O.) Jan. 24.—Another gorge formed early this morning in Maumee Bay, and at 10 o'clock tonight had reached a point higher by several inches than it was at any time yesterday. The gas plant has been shut down, but there is enough gas on hand in the tanks to keep the city supplied until morning. At 7 p.m. it was 10 deg. below zero, and was getting colder very fast.

TOWBOAT GOES DOWN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CINCINNATI, Jan. 24.—The ice around Coney Island gave way and sunk the towboat Adelle, at the Brown's landing, together with a barge of coal; loss $15,000. Three men employed on the Adelle are missing, and are supposed to have been drowned.

FIERCE HURRICANE IN FIJI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MELBOURNE (Victoria) Jan. 24.—A disastrous hurricane has blown over the Fiji Islands, resulting in great loss of life and property.

POPE'S THANKS TO DIAZ.

ROME, Jan. 24.—Mgr. Serafino, the new apostolic delegate in Mexico, has been received in farewell audience by the Pope, and was entrusted by His Holiness to express to President Diaz and the Mexican government his satisfaction with the measures of liberty granted under President Diaz to Catholicism in Mexico, which has resulted in the prosperity of the church there.

ELEPHANT MAD WITH COLD.

Crushes Ribs of a Keeper and Swings Freight Around Shed for Hours.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.

ST. PAUL, Jan. 24.—Maddened by the intense cold which had frozen its ears and trunk, an elephant belonging to an animal show which had been exhibiting at a local theter today almost killed its keeper, Conrad Castens, and partly wrecked the Milwaukee freighthouse. Many of the attendants had narrow escapes from serious injury.

Castens went to the animal's head, and attempted to pacify it, but the beast threw him to the ground, and planting his foot upon him, crushed in his ribs, and, it is believed, fatally injured him. The brute then seized heavy articles of freight in the sheds and began to swing them about, doing much damage. After laboring for nine hours, attendants quieted the animal.

WASHINGTON.

PROGRAMME ONLY PANAMA.

Senate Has a New Basis for Its Discussions.

Treaty Itself, and Not Any Resolution, Affected.

Army and Urgent Deficiency Bills in the House.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The Senate has no programme for the week beyond a continuation of the debate on the Panama question. The fact that the Gorman resolution of inquiry was disposed of last week does not change the situation, except that it makes necessary new basis for speeches. This will be supplied in the resolution of inquiry to be introduced tomorrow as the result of yesterday's conference of Democratic Senators. A number of addresses are still to be made on both sides of the controversy, and it is quite certain that the debate will continue for many days.

It is well understood on both sides of the chamber that, in reality, the treaty, and not any particular resolution is being discussed, the reason being that the treaty itself could not be discussed in open Senate, whereas the resolution can be. The Democrats prefer an open discussion of the question, and the Republicans, as a matter of policy and in the interest of the expedition of the vote on the treaty, have not objected. When it becomes apparent that the discussion in open session is exhausted, executive sessions will be ordered and the debate will proceed behind closed doors.

It is quite well understood that the amendments to the treaty reported by the Committee on Foreign Relations will be withdrawn before final action is taken.

The House will devote practically the entire week to consideration of the Army and Navy Urgent Deficiency Appropriation bills. The former is now before the House, and Chairman Hemenway of the Committee on Appropriations has given notice that the latter measure will be called immediately on the disposal of the former. Friday will be private-calendar day. Opportunity will be given each day, immediately on convening or just before adjournment, to secure action upon minor measures, but any bill which is likely to precipitate debate will not be permitted to come before the House during the pendency of the appropriation bills mentioned.

The Army Bill is being read under the five-minute rule in committee of the whole for purpose of amendment, and thus far less than one-third of its provisions have been considered. Unless some of the paragraphs become subjects of extended discussion, final action can be had on the bill in one more day.

STATEHOOD QUESTION AGAIN.

PEOPLE CAN DECIDE IT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At a conference of leading Republican Senators today, it was determined to take up the Statehood question again and make an effort to put it through at the present session. Bills on the basis of today's agreement will be introduced soon in the Senate by Mr. Quay and in the House by Delegate Rodey of New Mexico. The latter has consented to the proposition of consolidation of Arizona and New Mexico.

The Statehood Bill will provide for the reference of the entire subject of the people of the several Territories involved in the proposed consolidations. It will also provide that Oklahoma shall never abridge the rights of suffrage of its citizens by the adoption of educational qualification laws, similar to those recently enacted in certain Southern States.

INVESTIGATION OF MORMONS.

SENATORS WANT IT THOROUGH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A thorough investigation of Mormon polygamy and of the attitude of the church toward the Federal government is favored by a majority of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections. A resolution to be introduced tomorrow, requesting authority to make an investigation, will ask for funds to defray the expenses of a sub-committee to go to Utah and examine witnesses. The investigation of the charges against Senator Smoot will be carried on at the same time.

With Senators Hoar and Clark of Arkansas absent, all members of the committee but one were in favor of investigating the Mormon church. Senator Beveridge insisted that the inquiry be confined to charges against Smoot. The final conclusion as to the exact scope of inquiry will be determined by the committe after authority has been given by the Senate.

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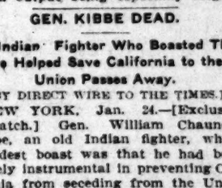

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

Cotton Boll Weevil Inquiry.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The Secretary of Agriculture has approved the plans for the cotton boll weevil investigation in the Southwest, for which an appropriation of $250,000 has been made available. Secretary Wilson believes that the best methods for meeting the ravages caused by the boll weevil will be put into actual practice, the facts which have been accumulated during the past two years in the matter of improving cultural conditions, the planting of early-maturing varieties of cotton, substitution of other crops, etc.

Philippine Trade Statistics.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The Philippine trade statistics of the Insular Bureau of the War Department show that the imports during the eight months ended August, 1903, aggregated $22,266,530 and exports $20,867,313. These figures are exclusive of coin and government supplies. The aggregate of exports and imports is an increase of almost $6,000,000, over four-fifths of which may be credited to shipments from the archipelago, the hemp and coppa output being especially large.

GEN. KIBBE DEAD.

Old Indian Fighter Who Boasted That He Helped Save California to the Union Passes Away.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gen. William Chauncey Kibbe, an old Indian fighter, whose proudest boast was that he had been largely instrumental in preventing California from seceding from the Union when Confederate agents were active there, just before the Civil War, died today at his home in Brooklyn, of tuberculosis. He was in his eighty-second year.

Born in Illinois, Gen. Kibbe came as a young man to Brooklyn and became a school teacher, and soon became the principal of public school No. 19. When the gold fever spread over the world in 1849, Gen. Kibbe resigned his principalship and became an Argonaut.

As a miner he was unfortunate, and after a while he drifted into other pursuits. He took part in suppressing many of the early Indian uprisings in California and Nevada, and finally, when Leland Stanford became Governor, Gen. Kibbe became adjutant-general on his staff.

After the Civil War Gen. Kibbe returned to Brooklyn, and for a time resumed his teaching. During the last years of his life he held a position in the Hall of Records.

LYNCHING AT GUTHRIE.

GUTHRIE (O. T.) Jan. 24.—Lewis Radford, a negro, was lynched here tonight by a mob of from thirty to forty negroes. He was arrested this morning, accused of killing Priscilla Frozell, also a negro, last night. Radford confessed to having assaulted the woman, but denied to the last the act of killing her.

SPECIAL IROQUOIS JURY.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—A special grand jury, it was decided today, will be called after next Saturday to continue the Coroner's investigation of the Iroquois. With the recommendations of the Coroner's jury and a transcript of the testimony taken at the inquest the special session will reopen the question of responsibility.

WILL FIGHT NINTH DUEL.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—It is reported here that an army lieutenant named Krohn, who is stationed at Pirna, Saxony, has recently fought eight duels and is about to undertake a ninth encounter in defense of his family honor. Krohn has had the best of the meetings, for it is said that two of his opponents were severely wounded and three others slightly wounded, while three escaped unhurt. As for Krohn, he had his ear nipped in the eighth encounter.

PASSENGER ASSOCIATION.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 24.—A convention of the Transcontinental Passenger Association will begin tomorrow. The most important matter to be considered and acted upon at the convention will be the promulgation of World's Fair rates from Pacific Coast points to St. Louis. James Charlton, chairman, stated tonight that he is confident satisfactorily low rates will be established to enable a representative western attendance at the World's Fair.

MASSACRE IN AFRICA.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—The Foreign Office has received news of the massacre of a British expedition under the auspices of the East Africa syndicate by Tarkhana tribesmen in the neighborhood of Rudolf Lake, East Africa. Several white men were murdered, but no details of the occurrence have been received.

BE SURE a bottle of Piso's Cure is kept on hand for sudden colds. All druggists.

New Entrance to Times Office.

While the Business Offices of The Times are being remodeled, the entrance to both advertising and subscription departments will be on First street at the eastern extremity of the building.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM THE WORLD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Emperor William is making efforts to curtail the luxury of army officers. His Majesty has issued a Cabinet order limiting the literary work of active and retired officers. He declares that he does not wish the officers to play with pen and ink.

STUDENTS FREEZE AND HARDEN

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Harvard junior class will move from their palatial private dormitories to the bare uncomfortable old rooms of a building in the college yard where water freezes in the pitcher overnight and one has to lug up his own coal from the cellar. The object is to harden the undergraduates for school and athletic feats.

NEW ENGLAND AGAINST BRYAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] New England Democrats have determined to enforce the unit rule when the time arrives for the St. Louis convention to prevent the Bryan-Hearst combination from seizing the delegates.

OIL TRUST'S NEW PIPE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLEVELAND, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Standard Oil Company has made an appropriation for the construction of a pipe line to connect new Kansas and Indian Territory oil fields with the mammoth refinery at Whiting, Ind., fifty-five miles from Chicago. The project involves the laying of about 700 miles of line, at a cost of not less than $3,500,000, and including pumping stations, the total outlay will probably be over $4,000,000.

WOMAN COWS CONVICTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NORRISTOWN (Pa.) Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Two prisoners confined in jail here awaiting trial, made a desperate attempt to escape, this evening, after assaulting Warden Abraham Gotwals and Night Watchman Samuel Beckwith. The latter was probably fatally injured. After summoning her mother, Miss Gotwals ran and notified Chief of Police Rodenbaugh. In the meantime, Mrs. Gotwals secured a revolver and threatened to shoot the prisoners if they attempted to leave prison. When the Chief entered the jail the convicts threw up their hands. The prisoners' names are Bond and Cornwallis.

HURRY THE EXHIBITS TO THE WORLD'S FAIR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 24.—The Louisiana Purchase Exposition stands ready, and it is waiting for the general installation of exhibits. Officials of the exposition make the statement that the one thing of paramount importance to insure the anticipated successful and auspicious opening of the World's Fair is theimmediate commencement by domestic exhibitors to ship cars as rapidly as can be had. Otherwise, if there be delay, congestion in traffic handling after St. Louis is reached is almost an assured condition.

It is estimated that from 25,000 to 30,000 cars of domestic exhibits alone will reach St. Louis during the last of March and the fore part of April. As the World's Fair opens April 30, it is said it will be difficult to handle this enormous influx of freight at the last moment. Already foreign exhibits are en route upon the water, and foreign countries are concentrating their endeavors to have their exhibit shipments arrive early, to secure prompt handling and delivery at the World's Fair grounds, enabling more deliberation and thoroughness in the installation in the buildings.

It is urged by the management of the Fair that domestic exhibitors take heed of the importance of immediate shipment and commence forwarding cars without further delay.

IT'S UP TO SCHWAB TO AGREE OR NOT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Samuel Untermeyer declined today to make public any reply on behalf of the Bondholders Protective Committee of the United States Shipbuilding Company to the plans of compromise proposed by Schwab and his associates. One of the bondholders, however, who has been prominently associated with the opposition to the Schwab interests, said no proposal offered by Schwab or the Schwab interests can be listened to or considered unless he agrees to these three things:

First—The invalidation of certain bonds Schwab now holds, amounting to about $10,000,000.

Second—The election of a new board or directods, of which Schwab is not to have control for three years.

Third—Placing the trust on its feet by the issuance of $3,000,000 bonds, ready money, which would be needed, which Schwab wants to take at a 24-per-cent. discount, or at 80, but which he must take at par.

If Schwab cannot take up these three proposals, no compromise is possible. Schwab has had this offer under consideration, or at least he has heard of it, but he has made no answer to it.

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HOW TO BE UNSELFISH.

What We All Should Learn, Says B. Fay Mills.

Two Discourses Yesterday by Well-known Preacher.

Religion of Twentieth Century—Law of Love.

Rev. Benjamin Fay Mills yesterday afternoon began his presentation of "The Religion of the Twentieth Century" with an address at Simpson Auditorium. He spoke to a large audience, taking up the question, "What is it all for?"

The "it" of this query referred to the universe, the world, man and everything in general. The speaker outlined the confusion and distress of the world and declared: "This is an ideal world. Any object must be judged by the manner in which it fulfills its purpose. The world is a school in which just one lesson is taught—the lesson of unselfishness. From this point of view it is perfectly fitted to its purpose.

"We are not here to get or to keep wealth, or for the purpose of founding families; or for developing the search for happiness; or for the attainment of ordinary knowledge; we are here for just one purpose, and that is to learn how to be unselfish. Unselfishness regards the individual only as a part of the whole, and loses the lesser in the larger self.

LEARN TO LOVE.

"What human experiences can we select and say that they came to us in order that we might learn to love. We cannot select any, for there is no experience that is not intended for this purpose. Birth and death, joy and sorrow, prosperity and adversity, all the experience of man from the cradle to the grave, is simply to teach him to find his higher soul in good of humanity.

"We see this perfectly in the family life. The baby at first does not learn anything, but helps those who care for it to develop capacity for unrequited service. The beauty of the service of the baby is that we are all its slaves without hope or expectation of reward, and the more helpless the baby the more perfect its mission in demanding the allegiance of the wise and strong.

"The larger social life is meant to teach us to learn to love. And incongruous and deformed and sometimes almost hideous as some parts of ordinary society, intercourse are, still they cannot hide the beauty of its object. Our society word for man, with the one adjective selected to qualify him, by the consent of civilized world, is gentleman—the gentle man. What is your conception of a gentleman or a lady? Not some one who has money to throw away and time to spend frivolously. No. He is a real gentleman, she is a genuine leady, who have learned something more than their fellows of the lessons of unselfishness, and the motto of all polite society is this, 'In honor preferring one another.'

"So with the schools. Next to the divine lessons of the family comes the beautiful lesson of unselfishness of the teachers, studying, laboring, seeking not for self, but to give to others. The science of sciences and the philosophy of philosophies is to learn to love.

UNSELFISH WORK.

"It required a long time for a man to begin to believe that the world's work could be done unselfishly. We are just now beginning to see that it must be done unselfishly in order to be done well.

"Government should be a device for promoting brotherhood and helping the people politically and economically to love one another. Arbitration and mutual service are to supersede armed conflict. We see how badly misrepresentative of the true religious spirit is the church which is merely a social club for the privileged classes, or a narrow sectarian organization of irreligious exclusiveness on account of men's opinions or customs.

"But a church is an association of lovers, to propagate love in all the relationships of life, to exemplify unselfishness in the conduct of its members, and to insist upon practical brotherliness as the remedy for all individual, social, economical and political evil, and the inspiration for the production of knowledge, comfort, wisdom and efficiency; the church that should read the unsolved riddles of the ages and establish such a perfected human society on earth as to make unnecessary the ancient conceptions of Paradise, in this I believe as I believe in no other association of men.

"He that wills to save his life shall lose it but he that wills to lose his life for humanity's sake, the same shall save it."

RELIGION OF LEARNING.

Mr. Mills's second address was given last night, his subject being, "The Religion of Learning—What We Learned in the Nineteenth Century and May Learn in the Twentieth."

Mr. Mills said in part: "We are told by our greatest men that the nineteenth century equalled in discovery and invention and social progress all the preceding centuries of human existence. We learned concerning the universe the great lesson of order. It became not a wonder-world, but a wondrous world; and the basis was laid for a rational faith in law, order and purpose. We learned the lesson of the certainty of development, evolution, progress, and gained standing ground for human hope. We came for the first time to know mankind and human development, tracing human evolution from the lower orders of creation to the most exalted man, developing the self-consciousness which revealed to him his kinship with the Divine.

"The discoveries of the twentieth century have been yet greater. In less than three years our astronomers have witnessed the making of a world in the new star in Perseus. Our physicists have found and weighed an atom only one-thousandth part as heavy as the lightest previously known; our biologists have hatched a starfish without fertilization; our chemists have found a substance more marvelous than all else known in the miracle-working radium. We seem about to silence the sphinx by answering the old question as to the purpose of existence.

ONLY ONE MORALITY.

Mr. Mills then proceeded to develop the connection between human progress and a reasonable regilion of faith, hope and love. He closed the address by saying that there is only one morality and that is the morality of the twentieth century—of truest sympathy. And there has been a greater growth of sympathy in the world in the last century than in all the centuries that preceded it. It has abolished slavery; it has prompted us to all sorts of combinations; it has urged us to the benevolence of the time—the kind-heartedness expressing itself in a thousand ways. We discovered steam and afterward electricity, but until we had made engines and various conductors for the two forces to express their energy, they were useless to us. Now we have discovered a great human sympathy, and what shall we do with it? Why, it is waiting for your brain and mine to invent the machines to express it—this marvelous moral advance of the past century. It must be done by education; a new industry, a new commerce, and new politics. This century shall not be so much a climax as an inspiration; it will be not so much a century that has gathered the fruits of the past, as a century that has sown the marvelous seed for the illimitable harvest of the future.

GEN. SHAFTER'S CONDITION.

He Is Still Confined to His Bed at Bakersfield, but Is Gradually Improving.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Maj.-Gen. William R. Shafter, who was prevented from attending the review of the G.A.R. at Los Angeles last week by reason of an injury sustained in an encounter with a horse, is still confined to his bed on his ranch nine miles from this city. Dr. F. W. Mitchell is in daily attendance. The general was not kicked, as was reported, but was jerked to his knees by a fractious animal which he was leading.

Aside from a few severe bruises Gen. Shafter was apparently not badly hurt. A week later he began to note inconvenience as the result of his fall. A red spot developed on the tibia, and this has since become very painful. Reports from the ranch this afternoon say the general is improving.

TRANSACTION IN PETROLEUM.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—The Hamburg Petroleum Production Company has increased its capital from $750,000 to $3,000,000, and has purchased all the Roumanian petroleum interests of the Deutsche Bank. This company is allied with the Shell Transport and Trading Company, and these transactions, following, as they do, the formation last week of the new German Petroleum Company of Berlin, with a capital of $5,000,000, indicates, it is thought, greater interest on the part of German capitalists in the oil business than it has seen for years past.

BOY TRAINWRECKERS.

DENVER, Jan. 24.—A special to the Republican from Las Vegas, N. M., says that three boys, Mayron Aldrich, aged 14; Lowell Ellis, aged 12; and William Denton, aged 15; were arrested there today, and confessed to wrecking an extra Denver and Rio Grande freight train at Florence, Colo., January 16. The boys said they were after the passenger train, which was late, and intended to rob the dead and injured passengers.

YOUNGHUSBAND AND LLAMAS.

CHUMBI (British India) Jan. 24.—Col. Younghusband, commander of the British expeditions to Thibet, has had a friendly interview with a general from Lhassa and a number of Llamas, who came out to meet the British mission. The general offered favorable terms for Col. Younghusband to retire, and on his refusal indicated that the British advance would be opposed.

SAILED FROM CANARIES.

LAS PALMAS (Canary Islands) Jan. 7.—The United States cruiser Buffalo and the torpedo-boat destroyers, Decatur, Bainbridge, Barry, Chauncey and Hale, under command of Lieut. Lloyd H. Chandler, which arrived here January 6, will sail for Gibraltar Monday morning.

BROADWAY BUILDING BURNED.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—The buildings at Nos. 544-548 Broadway, occupied by Morimura Bros., Japanese goods; E. R. Bonner & Co., hats, and Cranford & Quigley Rossenware Bros. and Finkiestein & Maget, clothing were destroyed by fire early today. The estimated loss is $250,000.

IN CASE OF DREYFUS.

PARIS, Jan. 24.—There is good reason to believe that the report of Attorney-General Baudoin, besides favoring Dreyfus, will recommend a further investigation of the criminal section of the Court of Cassation before the united sections of the court pass upon the case.

The Pope Stole the Meat.

The following story of Pope Pius X was written by Salvatore Cortesi, and is part of an article telling of the Pope's bovhood days, when he was known to his comrades as Beppi Sarto.

His sister lived with him (the Pope) and was often in despair because there was nothing in the house to eat and a fine piece of beef and had promptly put it in a pot to make soup. Near the dinner hour she came rushing to her brother, crying:

"The meat is stolen."

"Perhaps it was the cat."

"The cat! A cat cannot carry off the pot, too." Thereupon he added insult to injury, by saying:

"My dear sister, I fear you do not attend very well to the kitchen. It was I who took them to give to a poor man who said his wife was ill in bed and needed broth."

"Well, at least I suppose she could not eat the pot," said the other indignantly. "Now, what are you going to have for your dinner, I should like to know? I am sure you have not a cent in your pocket." Beppi indulgently turned out his empty pockets and then said: "Never mind, never mind, sister. God will provide for us." But He did not provide another piece of beef for dinner that day.—[Success.

The American is never called a foreigner by his English kin. Neither the Royal Academy or the Inns of Court exclude Americans under their rules which disqualify foreigners.

OVER TICKET IN A LOTTERY.

Race Track Plunger Now in Hot Water.

Accused of Cashing Coupon That Was Forged.

Leaves Los Angeles in Hurry for the North.

Two days after he had been paid the $7500 prize that he had won in the Louisiana Lottery, informed by wire that he had been charged by the San Francisco lottery agents with forgery in connection with the drawing—such was the experience yesterday in this city of Herman Schubach, a ticket broker of St. Louis.

Schubach has been staying at the Westminster, where he arrived Saturday morning, with drafts for the $7500 he had been paid Friday in San Francisco on his lottery drawing. Yesterday morning he was handed a telegram at his hotel from a San Francisco friend, stating that Metzger and Franklin, lottery agents, had charged that the prize-drawing-ticket he (Schubach) had presented was a forgery.

The lottery agents, it is reported from San Francisco, claim that they were mulcted of $15,000 on Friday by persons who secured paper on which the tickets are printed and induced a job printer to reproduce winning tickets as soon as the winning numbers were published. Schubach, it is claimed, presented two of the bogus coupons, each calling for $7500, which passed unnoticed at the time, and received checks for the amounts named. The checks were afterward indorsed by Adolph Ottinger, the Market-street ticket broker, it is said, and were exchanged by Schubach for drafts on New York. It is reported that the lottery agents have sought to stop the payment of the drafts.

When seen at the Westminster last night, Schubach was just leaving for the depot, to return to San Francisco, he said, to fight the charges. In speaking of the matter he mentioned only the one drawing of $7500, and appeared to know nothing of the other $7500 mentioned.

"I have the equivalent of the money in my pocket that I won on a drawing that was honest, so far as I know, and I do not intend to give up the prize. I was all ready to go home to St. Louis when I got this information, and immediately I changed my plans so as to return to San Francisco on tonight's train. Does that look as if I were conscious of having done anything crooked up there, as these reports seem to indicate? No—I am going right up there to make it hot for these agents, and for the people who have published these unfounded charges. Whether or not the ticket that drew me the prize was tampered with before it came into my possession, of course I don't know, and if it was tampered with, I am not responsible for that. When I presented my coupon on Thursday, I was told I had won the prize, and to come up Friday and get my money, which I did. They did not hesitate about paying me the amount. I have not seen any policeman after me yet," he added, "although I have been going about here pretty freely. I think I know where these charges originated, but I won't say now. I'm going back to 'Frisco to make a fight."

Schubach attended the races at Ascot Saturday afternoon with a Los Angeles man, who is well known about town, and won a handsome sum there on some heavy plunging.

WORLD'S WORKERS.

Every fifth Moro is a slave.

There are at least 250 Filipino students in American colleges.

The average annual rainfall of Ohio for fourteen years is 37 inches.

Cigars, cigarettes, salt and ice are government monopolies in Panama.

The constabulary of the Philippines is an armed force of 6000 natives.

The value of the high school property in the United States is $125,000,000.

Germany will increase its consular corps, especially in the United States.

The imports of coffee at New Orleans for the year have already been in excess of a million bags. In the previous year have the imports of that commodity been so large.

Now that cotton presses reduce the size of a bale until it weighs forty-five pounds to the square foot one ship will carry the product of 40,000 acres of average cotton land.

The "blowing" of a fuse in an electric street car, which fills the average passenger with alarm, simply indicates that a safety device has proved reliable and that a danger of injury to the motor has been averted by it. The current which will flow through a motor when it is standing still is in almost all cases far in excess of that which the motor is designed to carry; and, indeed, in a well-designed motor a current dangerous for the motor will be reached before the motor has been stalled. The effect of this heavy current on the motor, if allowed to continue, is to heat the windings to a dangerous degree and destroy the insulation, possibly setting it on fire; and it is to prevent this occurrence, whether due to careless handling of the car or to unexpected causes, that the fuses are used. A fuse is simply a short piece of wire of such size that it will be melted by a current which, if allowed to flow through the motor for any time, will damage it. The melting of the fuse opens the circuit and cuts off the current from the motor. To protect the car the fuse is inclosed in a fireproof box. When a fuse blows, there is generally a volatilization of the metal of the fuse and a slight explosion. These explosions usually cause a report and some smoke.

The recent successful experiments in briquetting lignite may solve the fuel question. North Dakota claims to have a supply of this combustible so enormous that it will last for ten thousand years.

Under similar circumstances, as a matter of fact, an acre planted with potatoes will yield more than ten, fourteen, or seventeen times as much food material as will one upon which wheat, rye, or peas, respectively, is grown.

The president of the Chicago City Railway Company says that the company pays 2 cents out of every 5 for labor, and invites inspection of its books. He refuses an advance in wages, which is now 24 cents an hour.

A trust has been formed by the retail book dealers of Germany which has advanced the price of books 10 to 25 per cent. Foreigners can now get books produced in Germany 15 to 25 per cent. less than Germans can.

Partial reports from the Philippines show that during the year 7.6 natives of Malays were examined for enlistment in the Philippine Scouts and that all but twenty were accepted—a record which shows the Philippine physique to be greatly superior to the American.

All business, or nearly all, in New South Wales is conducted through "trade industrial unions." Up to March, 1903, 108 unions of employés and 83 unions of employers had been registered in the arbitration court. When a union has been duly registered it becomes amenable to the arbitration laws.

The oldest wine in the world is 27 cases known as Napoleon sherry, vintage of 1730, which has arrived in New York city from Buenos Ayres. It was ordered for Napoleon just before Waterloo and was not delivered and will now be offered to Americans at $250 per case of 20 quart bottles.

Records prove that the college man at 30 is far in advance of the man of the same age who entered by the apprentice door. Even at 30 it is shown that the four years spent at college were not wasted, and that he really acquired the ability to learn how to do things.

The Removal Society organized in New York city, is finding employment and homes in different parts of the country for Jews from the overcrowded Ghetto. Last year the society sent 3000 persons to 45 States and only 3 per cent. of them are now in large cities and but 1 per cent. have returned to New York.

The latest in explosives, according to Metal Industry, is powdered aluminum, mixed with nitrate of ammonia and put upon the market under the name of "ammonal." This explosive is said to be one of the surest and safest known, as it cannot be exploded by friction blow, while otherwise containing all requisites of an explosive.

The corn belt includes a little of Northwestern Ohio, a considerable strip across North Central Indiana, all of Northern and Central Illinois, the whole State of Iowa, Northwestern Missouri, Northeastern Kansas, and Southeastern Nebraska. On the map it roughly resembles an elongated kite with the little end in Northwestern Ohio and the widest part on the Missouri River.

We are the most prosperous people in the world because we both produce and consume more than others. The little that we sell abroad, about 10 per cent. of our net production, and the little we purchase abroad, 6 or 7 per cent. of our net consumption, constitute no challenge to the statement that our prosperity rests with ourselves.

The most marked change in the uniform of the army, under the general order just issued, is that the stripe on the infantry trousers, which was changed a year or so ago from white to blue, will again be white. The same change will be made in the chevrons and the box spur and black leather trouser strap will be abandoned.

Albert Maumene, in the Review Scientifique, Paris, referring to experiments of M. Johannsen of the Agricultural School of Copenhagen gives it as his opinion that by the use of anesthetics, such as ether and chloroform, early forcing in plant development by present methods will all be superseded, since the anesthetizing process makes possible the flowering of these plants four or five months earlier than the ordinary methods of forcing.

The naval construction programme of the French admiralty for 1904 comprises 70 vessels. Of this huge total 58 are to be torpedo boats, which are to be constructed by private shipbuilding firms. Sixteen new submarine boats are to be built; one armored cruiser of 13,644 tons and 23 knots speed, and two torpedo-boat destroyers with a speed of 30 knots.

The medical officers of the navy who have been making a study of neurasthenia, which has disabled so many officers, ascribe it to the condition of the life in the navy now imposing upon officers long tours of duty on remote stations, where the opportunities for diversion are not many, and where homesickness and discontent, combined with the uncertainty of detachment have produced this distress of mind and body.

Great care must be taken not to explode cartridges for taking flashlight photographs in a confined condition. If confined a terrible explosion will result. More than one experienced photographer has lost his life by becoming careless in this respect. The more efficient a flash compound is the higher its explosive powder, and it should never be ignited in a confined space, not even the lid of a box, but spread in a long train. The force of the explosion is therefore minimized, while the light area is increased.

There is one feature in the work of the Carnegie Institution which is of widespread importance, and that is the selection of twenty-five "research assistants," to each of whom is given a sum of $1000 or $1500. These "research assistants" are for the most part young persons who have already been well trained and are prepared to prosecute definite lines of investigation under the guidance of older highly qualified leaders. These men are not allowed to be "assistants" in the ordinary use of that word, nor to engage in instruction.

A Leipsic trade paper, in reporting on the recent fair held in that city, speaks favorably of a new line of doll heads made of tin and covered with celluloid. The opinion is expressed in the paper quoted that this novelty is a desirable improvement, as many lines of doll heads now in the market are composed of celluloid, and are of great danger to children, on account of the inability to explosion to which celluloid is subject. The paper says the use of celluloid in the manufacture of toys is making steady progress.

The resolution of the International Congress for Hygiene, referring to the prevention of malaria, was as follows: "In recognition of the practical importance of the 'mosquito-malaria theory' the congress shall bring pressure upon all governments in malaria districts for the purpose of first, causing an examination of civil and military officers as to a practical knowledge of this theory before employing them in such localities; second, of compelling the educational establishments in such districts to add instruction concerning the malaria theory and its practical application; third, to consider officers who know nothing of this theory or who systematically deny its practical application as unfit for service in malaria districts."

MAN SEVERELY HURT IN FIFTH-STREET FIRE.

ONE man was severely injured in a fire in the two-story frame building at Nos. 216 and 218 West Fifth street, at 11:40 o'clock last evening, which destroyed the building and caused a loss estimated at $7000. The structure was an old one and burned like tinder, making a bright blaze, and attracting a large crowd of people.

The fire started in a room on the second floor, occupied by a waiter in the employ of George Hoffman, who conducted a restaurant on the ground floor. Hoffman and his wife occupied a front room and the waiter an adjoining room, while a rear room was occupied by George Long, a sign painter.

HURT WHILE ESCAPING.

Long was badly burned about the hands and feet while fighting his way out of the burning building. He was sound asleep and awoke to find the building in flames. Finding his way blocked in front he made his escape by the elevator in the rear. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where his injuries were attended. He will recover.

Downstairs the building was occupied by Hidley's bicycle shop, George Hoffman's restaurant, A. Waugh, jeweler and Sturgis Bros., automobile repair shop. The contents of all of these places were almost destroyed. Sturgis Bros. lost some valuable machinery.

OTHERS BURNED OUT.

In addition to the roomers upstairs the Elite Sign Works, Elworth and Dova, real estate men, and George Keller, dealer in heaters, had places of business. All of their effects were destroyed.

A rumor was current during the fire that the waiter in whose room the fire started was burned, but this proved untrue. The building belonged to Charles Chick and was insured.

NEWS FROM FOREIGN FIELDS.

Sad State of Affairs in Transvaal—Money for Release from Purgatory—Curie's Refusal of Legion of Honor.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

England and the Transvaal.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—Letters from Johannesburg and the Transvaal indicate a sad state of affairs, financially and politically. Great Britain has not kept the promises made before and after the war, and the only improvement noticeable in public affairs so far is the lowering of railway passenger rates and penny postage. But as taxes keep accumulating and real estate is assessed almost to its top value, the savings are easily swallowed up by added expenses.

With the exception of nigh officialdom, everybody is more or less discontented, and more than ever the Boers are longing for the return of the good old days when the affairs of the government were administered in the old-fashioned and corrupt, maybe, but also economic and democratic fashion. The cost of administration has increased enormously, for there are so many Englishmen hunting for places in the Colonies that must be given a chance somehow. As a consequence, the number of clerks in most offices has been trebled.

The State Treasury is chronically empty, and so are the treasuries of the towns and smaller communities. Both state and county administrations are therefore continuously making new inroads upon tax-payers pockets.

That the new gold law was passed in the interest of the big gold barons, the mine trusts, is the universal cry, for it abolishes "claims" and decrees that lands supposed to hold gold be auctioned off. This auction business robs the poor man of the hope of ever making a "strike," for the mine trusts are, of course, ready with cash to buy up any claim that has in it a promise of reward. "Gold for the capitalist only" seems to be the new master's motto.

As told in previous dispatches, trade is exceedingly depressed and money continues tight. Would-be emigrants to these parts should be discouraged by all means.

"Mountain Illness" All Bosh.

BERNE, Jan. 11.—Prof. Kronecker, M.D., who claimed to have discovered a new trouble for humanity, mountain illness, is ridiculed by a practical mountain climber and physician, Dr. Biehly, who has been an alp tourist for twenty years, and maintains that there is no such thing as mountain illness. The troubles climbers experience are mainly due to over-indulgence in coffee, tea and alcohol, likewise to overexertion, says the doctor.

Paid for Release from Purgatory.

MUNICH, Jan. 9.—A man named Schaubeck was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment for charging a woman $1.50 "for releasing the lady's mother from purgatory." To induce the daughter to pay the money, the swindler invited the ghost of the departed to appear before her in a shirt alive with fire and flames. He paid 25 cents for the "flames" at a fireworks store.

Legion of Honor.

PARIS, Jan. 11.—At last Paris has awakened to the fact that it has another world-famous celebrity in its walls—Prof. Curie, the inventor of radium. When Curie and his wife received the Nobie prize, a few Frenchmen learned that he was one of their own, but now that he has refused the Legion of Honor he is a celebrity of the first water, and the boulevards and cafés are echoing with his name and achievements. The Legion of Honor is perhaps the only decoration in the world that is "asked for," not offered. As a usual thing, the person wishing to be decorated applies to a deputy, or a high government official for assistance, or even presents his name in person. In the case of Curie, the government went out of its way and offered the red ribbon of its own accord, but Curie said "No, thank you." This refusal made him almost as well known among his compatriots as if he had invented a new hat or corset.

One Book Every Two Years.

BUCHAREST, Jan. 9.—"One book every two years—not a bad record for a Queen, who is much harassed by official business,' said Carmen Sylva to your correspondent at the reception held in honor of the anniversary of the local Evangelican Church.

"I was sixty the other day," continued Carmen Sylva. "I have written novels, dramas, legends and poems, also translations, notably of Roumanian folklore. You may recollect my translation of Pierre Loti's famous 'Iceland Fisherman.' When I read that book, I sat down immediately to translate it, even before asking Pierre's permission. But, then, we are such good friends, it did not matter."

"Your Majesty said: One book every two years," remarked the beautiful Crown Princess, who was "little Mary of Edinburgh" a few years ago and who is now the mother of three beautiful children. Surely you don't mean to say that you commenced writing in your cradle."

"No, not as bad as that, but I have been a writer ever since I can remember. However, my first book appeared only at the beginning of the eighties."

As usual, Her Majesty was dressed in white silk, she seldom wears colors. Her hair is now white and her beauty both physical and intellectual.

Duse and D'Annunzio Part.

FLORENCE, Jan. 9.—Villa Capponcine, where Duse and D'Annunzio used to spend their summers, is being dismantled, a curiosity dealer from this city removing all of Duse's belongings, principally objects of art, valuable furniture, paintings, etc. These things were sold to the dealer outright at a very low price. Duse wishing to get rid of them as quickly as possible. She wants to keep nothing that reminds her of the "ingrate," D'Annunzio.

The author and the great actress are on the outs for good, D'Annunzio, it seems, worshiping at the shrine of another. The lady's name is Irma Gramatica, Duse's pupil and understudy. Irma is an extremely clever imitator of the great Duse, and besides is young and pretty—for that reason D'Annunzio took the title role of his new tragedy "The Laughter of Jorio" away from Duse and gave it to the other woman. Duse regarded this as a hint that the author was tired of her and immediately severed her business and personal relations with him. As the author and the actress had joint apartments in several Italian cities, besides in the villa mentioned, Duse instructed her representative to secure her goods and chattels forthwith and sell them.

The title of "ingrate" that she gave to D'Annunzio as a parting shot may cling to the poet for life, for it is notorious that he owes the greater part of his success to the devotion and the money of Duse.

Silk Hats for Black Aristocrats.

LISBON, Jan. 11.—A manufacturer of tall silk hats received an order for 100 head coverings of that sort from one of Portugal's territories in the interior of Africa the other day. The Portuguese Consul of the district at the same time informed the hatter that the stovepipes were intended as marks of nobility for certain natives. The King of the territory has decided to grant the privileges to wear a stovepipe hat to loyal retainers, who thereupon rise in the estimation of their native fellow-men as a European subject considers himself of higher rank if his sovereign allows him to wear a silver star or red ribbon, or attach a handle to his name.

"Puff" for a Lawyer.

VIENNA, Jan. 9.—The following advertisement appears in a leading daily: "I hereby desire to express my gratitude to Lawyer Eskoiny for obtaining for me a most satisfactory divorce with phenomenal promptitude.

"PAUL STEITZ."

German Clock Makers are Champions.

ROME, Jan. 11.—Two German clock makers, Housmann and Friellingsdorf, succeeded in repairing the famous clock of Farnese, and visitors to the Vatican library once more are privileged to see this wonderful work—"thanks to German clock makers, champions of the world," as Pope Pius expressed himself.

Lighter Than Cork, Stronger Than Iron.

PARIS, Jan. 11.—The explorer, Trussert, reports the discovery of a new kind of wood lighter than cork, stronger than iron. He found it in the neighborhood of the Esad Lake. The natives call it Marca. The trees are from twelve to fifteen feet high and its branches have yellow flowers and thorns instead of leaves. The wood is so light that babies can play with marca staffs six to eight feet long. The natives use the wood principally for weapons and armor. It would be an excellent article for industry," says the discoverer.

Gorki Pounded by Tramp.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 8.—Gorki was an unwilling witness against one of the tramps he immortalized before a police court the other day.

"I cannot allow this scoundrel to go unpunished," said the judge. "The police reports that the accused dealt you a blow on the back of the head when you did not respond to his demand for alms. It is imperative that an offense like that be punished—the public welfare demands it."

"I refuse to prosecute, nevertheless," replied Gorki, "for I cannot bring myself to believe that a man in full possession of his senses will strike another. The man who commits an assault for no reason whatever must be abnormal and a sick man ought to go to the hospital, not to prison.

"I was deep in thought when the man appealed to me, that is my only excuse for not acceding to his prayer, as I ought to have done. I remember now, his last words before he struck me. They were: 'What! the well-fed refuses to succor the hungry?' The accused evidently was hungry, and a hungry person is not always responsible for his actions."

"I appreciate your philosophy, and, indeed, am very much obliged for the interesting exposition of your views," said the judge, "but I will send this scoundrel to jail, nevertheless. He shall do without vodka for six months."

"If your decision to condemn is unalterable, please accept these ten roubles for my poor friend," said Gorki. "They shall be handed to him when he leaves jail." The author bowed and retired from the courtroom.

"Six months, one fast day, and one thrashing a week, to remind you that you have assaulted the best man in Russia," so read the sentence.

Woman's Song Excluded.

VIENNA, Jan. 9.—All the great churches have been affected by the Papal order that women must no longer be employed to sing solos in church or to participate prominently in oratorio. It has been customary here to employ prima donnas in all churches save the Imperial Chapel, which never permitted their engagement since the days of Empress Maria Theresa, who was afraid that her husband might fall in love with one of the singers. Prima donnas will now have to be replaced by boy sopranos. Churchmen fear that the exclusion of prima donnas may lessen church attendance very considerably.

Mayor Torn Limb from Limb.

PRAGUE, Jan. 8.—The imperial authorities sent to Hermannadorf to investigate the outrage upon Mayor Welfert, report that the case is even more horrible than first described.

Welfert was accused by his constituents of having unjustly divided the royal grant made on account of damage by hail. The enraged peasants dragged the man out of bed early in the morning, fell upon him with firewood, sticks and agricultural implements, and finally tore him limb from limb.

United State's "Great Octopus."

VIENNA, Jan. 9.—Die Zeit newspaper continues to warn Europe against the great American maritime octopus which, in the matter of annexation of vast territories, exceeds Russia's example in Eastern Asia.

"Panama," insists Die Zeit, "is a member of the Union no less than Illinois or Wisconsin, and her President is no more than Roosevelt's business manager.

"The great maritime octopus, after swallowing the big islands in the Gulf of Mexico, has now taken hold of the South American continent, and will never release it."

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A five-lap cinder track, for the use of the track team, is being completed at St. Vincent's College, and Trainer Martin has thirty-five ambitious men under his supervision. Some of the bleachers of Recreation Park have been purchased and were placed on the college campus last week.

Mr. No. 1039 West Sixteenth street Elizabeth Jordan is building a two-story structure, store and flats, at a cost of $3500.

HIGHLAND PARK.

Excavations for the foundations of the Hall of Letters at Occidental College began last week. The new structure is to be located about the center of the campus, lying between the present college building and Pasadena Hall, but far enough to the north on the tract to allow the old building unobstructed frontage toward the east.

During the past week several members of the Board of Directors of the Methodist College have visited the new building being erected across the arroyo in Highland Park Addition. They are arranging plans for extensive beautifying the grounds with trees and shrubberw. The new college building is becoming one of the most prominent points in the eastern portion of Highland Park.

The marriage of David L. Burke, of the firm of Burke Brothers, and Miss Jessie Weaver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weaver of the Glenn Rock tract, occurred Tuesday evening, January 19, at the home of the bride's parents in Highland Park. The bridal party stood under a bower of roses and smilax while Rev. W. B. Bell performed the marriage ceremony, and the wedding march was played by the Misses Kate and Grace Parker. The bride's dress was of gun-metal silk, and she carried a bouquet of bride's roses. After the ceremony refreshments were served, and Mr. and Mrs. Burke departed for a brief sojourn at Redondo. They will reside at No. 225 West Twenty-third street.

A. Brown, who recently purchased a lot on West Avenue 56, will build thereon for his own residence. The thirty-six acre tract lying in the eastern portion of Highland Park is being improved with graded streets, and placed on the market as the Hampton Terrace.

The Highland Park Improvement Association will hold its first regular meeting after the election of officers tomorrow night at the office of Poor & Wing, No. 5134 Pasadena avenue.

James A. Whitaker has purchased an eight-room residence on Avenue 57 for an investment. The purchase price was $3500.

Mrs. E. J. Stewart is having built a five-room cottage at No. 114 Avenue 57, at a cost of $1500.

David Hainsworth is building a cottage for his own home on Avenue 50, corner of Granada street.

E. A. Johnson has begun the building of a $400 cottage for his own home at No. 5920 Marmion Way.

UNIVERSITY.

U.S.C. is making a hard struggle to put out a creditable track team for the coming season. The local university has met with more disappointments on the cinder path than in any other line of endeavor. Although the Methodist school has at times had good teams, the defenders of the cardinal have never yet carried off the laurels of an intercollegiate field meet. Prospects for a first-class team were never more dubious in the history of the institution than at the close of the football season this year.

It was at first voted not to attempt to put out a 'varsity team, but this action was finally reconsidered and a grand skirish was commenced for all available material for a team. The result has been fairly satisfactory, and for some places on the team there are several candidates. The squad will be practically composed of green men; some of whom are promising and will no doubt be able to give a good account of themselves after one or two seasons' experience.

W. J. Cutter, who has been secured to coach the sprinters, arrived at the college last week, and at once began putting the candidates through a rigid course of training. While U.S.C. is not generaly considered as having a ghost of a show against Occidental this year the training her athletes will get will be of great value in building up a track team that can hold its own with any of the teams put out by other colleges hereabouts.

About forty members of the academic department of the University of Southern California were entertained at the home of Misses Florence and Lora Woodhead on Friday evening. The house was decorated throughout in the academy colors, red and black. Reading and a guessing contest furnished the amusement of the evening. Prizes were won by Maude Miller, Robert Speicher and William Harriman.

The Misses Eula and Reba Smith of No. 138 West Thirty-first street entertained the members of the Gamma Gamma Phi sorority last Saturday evening. The affair was in honor of Miss Mabel Whitaker, a member of the fraternity, who is soon to be married. Miss Whitaker was presented with a handsome Japanese tea set. After games and music refreshments were served. Eighteen members of the sorority were present.

Mrs. W. F. Callender of West Twenty-ninth street has returned from an extended Eastern trip.

The second semester of the college opened last Saturday with a considerable increase in the enrollment.

The funeral of G. W. Goff of West Thirty-ninth street and Hough avenue, who committed suicide last Wednesday, was held Saturday in Bresee Bros.' chapel.

Bids for constructing the new fire-engine house on the corner of Jefferson street and McClintock avenue will be received by the City Council today.

Mrs. Mary S. Driscoll is having built a neat cottage on West Thirty-eighth street, between Wesley and Hough avenues.

F. E. Connor has purchased one of A. B. Nash's cottages on West Thirty-sixth street between Figueroa street and Wesley avenue.

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BOYLE HEIGHTS.

Mrs. S. Stoll is having built a $1500 cottage at No. 177 Clarence street, for her home.

Herbert and George Beer are building a $1700 cottage at No. 2012 Brooklyn avenue.

Sarah A. Sprague at No. 3009 and 3012 Eagle street is having two cottages built at a cost of $1300 each, and one at No. 418 Euclid avenue to cost $2600.

C. V. Raleigh is investing $700 in the remodeling of his property at No. 2307 Michigan avenue.

Albert Gardner is the owner of a $1100 cottage of five rooms at No. 2837 East Fourth street.

Miss Edna Eckstrom of No. 2720 East Fourth street entertained at luncheon and a box party at the Orpheum Saturday in honor of Miss Allen Markham of Santa Rosa, who is spending the winter at Santa Monica. There were, beside the guest of honor, Miss Edna Hall, Miss Eldine Hall, Miss Biss Lytle, Miss Eckstrom and Miss Elelka Eckstrom.

At the 8 o'clock mass at St. Mary's Church yesterday morning the music was rendered by the junior choir, a company of children who have been in training the past three months under the direction of Miss Grace O'Sullivan.

The eighth birthday anniversary of Myrtle Thayer was celebrated with a children's party given by Mrs. Fred Thayer at her home, No. 227 Bailey street. Twenty-five children were present. The rooms were prettily decorated with pink ribbons and smilax.

EAST LOS ANGELES.

The marriage of O. A. LeSage and Miss Nellie A. Corderay, daughter of Nicholas Corderay of No. 524 South Eastlake avenue, was solemnized last Tuesday by Rev. M. McAuliffe at the Church of the Sacred Heart. Mr. and Mrs. LeSage will make their home at No. 2175 East Main street.

Newerf Bros. have established a planing mill on the East Side to handle the work of the recently-organized Standard Building Company, and they now give employment to fifteen men.

Plans are being drawn for the erection of a large building on the two lots at the corner of Daily and East Main streets by James Russell. There will be five stores below, and flats above.

The members of Epiphany parish tendered to their new rector, Rev. Walton Hall Doggett, and his wife a reception last Tuesday evening in the residence of Miss M. Hough, No. 2900 Downey avenue. The welcome of the congregation was extended by H. E. Britt, and the rector responded. The evening was filled with a programme of music and readings, and the serving of refreshments.

An entertainment was given Friday evening in the Y.M.I. Hall on Downey avenue, by the association for completing and decorating the Sacred Heart Church.

The attendance at the Church of the Epiphany was large yesterday morning, and the new rector, Rev. Walton Hall Doggett, baptized four infants, one being the rector's son. Mr. Doggett preached, taking the rite just administered as his theme. An unusually large offering for the general missionary work of the church was taken at this service. Last evening the rector preached upon "The Conversion of St. Paul." The quarterly meeting of the guild of this parish is to be held next Wednesday afternoon.

A four-room cottage is being built at No. 511 South Thomas street for Mrs. M. A. Jones.

Mrs. C. W. Foster is having built a $1500 cottage at No. 204 Avenue 42.

Col. Frank Mansfield has completed a handsome cottage on Avenue 28, and will occupy it as his permanent home.

VERNON.

The Vernon W.C.T.U. will give a reception and parlor meeting next Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. N. A. Doak, No. 1019 East Forty-sixth street, in honor of the State president, Mrs. Emma Cash, and Mrs. Hester T. Griffith, president of the city federation. Miss Gabriela T. Stickney, the local union president, is also the county president, and will represent the county. Mrs. Catherine P. Wheat, the county vice-president, will also be present.

The ladies of St. Patrick's parish gave an entertainment at Akey's Hall last Wednesday evening, for the benefit of the furnishing of the parochial residence.

Rev. C. J. Miller and Rev. W. F. Warren have been holding a two-weeks' series of revival meetings at the Central avenue Methodist Church, and street meetings have been held each evening on the corner of Central and Vernon avenues. The pastor is now located in the new parsonage, No. 1021 East Vernon avenue, adjoining the church. Within a few weeks work will be begun on the new church building.

Henry Gonzales is building a cottage for his own home at No. 1266 East Fifty-seventh street.

A. L. Wilson is building a four-room cottage on East Fifty-seventh street, between Central and Zamora street.

E. W. Calkins is the owner of a $1000 cottage being erected at No. 1206 East Fifty-fourth street.

R. E. Palmer is building a four-room cottage for his own home at No. 959 East Fifty-third street.

CITY MUST HELP GET TRANSFERS.

SO SAY RESIDENTS OF EAST NINTH STREET.

Many Discussions on the Street Yesterday—Suggestion That New Glendale Company May Further Complicate Transfer System and Operate Other Lines.

While yesterday was a day of rest, to the residents of the East Ninth-street district it was a day of conferences and discussions on the present all-engrossing theme of electric railway transfers.

In various places all along Ninth street were gathered groups of men, and practically all phases of the question received discussion. A stranger passing from one group to another could not mistake the tenor of public sentiment down in the marooned territory.

One prominent business man expressed this sentiment as follows: "There's nobody in this district going to say we don't want that new line down Twelfth street, for we do, and it would help to develop this part of the city in fine shape; but what we want now, and will keep after till we get it, is a restoration of our transfer privileges. Huntington will not build that Twelfth-street line unless he sees in it a paying investment. It wouldn't be just to accommodate us that it would be built. He is looking out for the Huntington interests, and the East Ninth-street people want to look out for their own interests. If we let this matter drag along without doing everything in our power to get our just rights, we will deserve to get the small end of the railroad deal."

Another man in discussing the matter in a crowd of property-owners yesterday, declared that it was no more than right that the whole city should come to the support of the East Ninth-street people. "This fight of ours," said he, "is in reality a fight for the whole city. There is no telling, under present conditions, when the Huntington interests may form a new company among their stockholders, slice off any line through the city, sell it to the new concern, and refuse to grant transfers to the other lines. I believe that it just what is coming if the city does not call a halt. Plans have been made for a new company to take the road out to Glendale, and that will be an excuse to chip off the West First-street line to Westlake Park and the Angeleño Heights and Temple-street lines. There never was a time since the street railways have been in operation that the chance for a universal transfer system was better than right now, if the people will only push the point."

Some of the East Ninth-street people go so far as to advocate the revocation of the franchise if the transfers are not forthcoming. They say that unless one is willing to pay double fare he must walk to Mateo street or Central avenue, and if this is to continue they would prefer to have their street clear of the track, so that some other parties might come in and do something for them.

While many are vigorous in their words, and advise hasty action, there were others on the streets yesterday who counseled moderation, and the avoidance of any move that might endanger the rights of the citizens. The report of the City Attorney on the legal points involved in the demand for transfers is eagerly awaited by the people below Central avenue.

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Francis Murphy's Eloquence Moved a Great Audience Last Night—Noted Local Vocalists Sang.

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His entire talk was unusually eloquent, and was received with frequent bursts of applause.

Major Powell of Pittsburgh, also made an eloquent address, and recounted incidents of Murphy's gospel temperance campaign in that city in 1876.

The audience was particularly favored in soloists last night, Mrs. Newkirk, Miss Sibyl Conkling and Miss Goodwin, all well known local vocalists, sang, to the great delight of all.

There was an unusual number of pledge signers last night, men and women literally flocked forward to receive the blue ribbon decoration.

Mrs. Murphy leaves this morning for a couple of weeks' visit to the northern part of the State.

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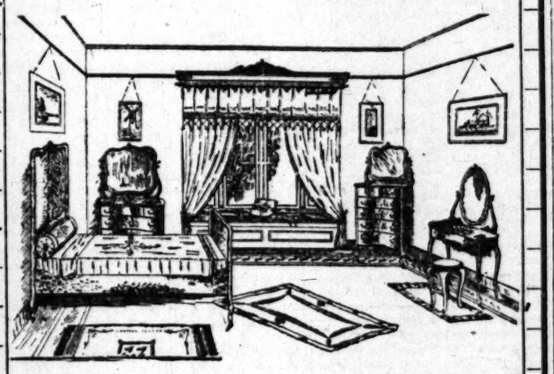

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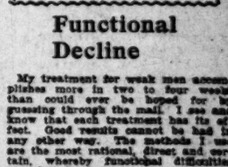

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MORAL TEACHING IN SCHOOLS.

The proposition to introduce religious teaching in the public schools—or, at least, the reading of the Bible—has again been put forward recently by some well meaning, but as many believe, misguided people. A pamphlet has been received from Denver, written by Dr. H. Martin Hart, dean of St. John's Cathedral, in that city, entitled "The Ten Commandments—the Only Bulwark Against the Avalanche of National Immorality." In support of his proposition, Dr. Hart points to the history of the ancient Greeks, who, according to a leading authority, had attained to an intellectual standard, four centuries before the Christian era, as far beyond that of our day as we are beyond the mental development of the African negro. Yet, the morals of those Greeks will not bear inspection. They succeeded in educating the head and the body to their utmost capacity, but they left the heart all but untouched. When asked why this was so, Dr. Hart says, "because the human race has never decided upon a standard of morality," and he points to some examples of practices prevailing among the civilized nations of antiquity that would today immediately call forth the intervention of the police.

The Denver priest next proceeds to hold up France as an awful example of secularizing education. Since that has been done, he declares that juvenile crime has steadily increased in that country. He then turns to England, and says:

"In 1870 W. E. Forster introduced into England a scheme of public education which he had modeled after the public school system of this country. At once the church people declined to receive money from the public taxation, and voluntarily subscribed to maintain schools in which religious instruction was a definite subject. They did it to rescue the children from what is technically termed 'godless education.' This attitude they successfully maintained for thirty years; they paid their school tax, and then they paid also their subscription to the church voluntary school. They thus educated more than half the children of England religiously; and after thirty years of persistence, this present government, by an overwhelming majority, has put on the statute book an education law by which, in fact, religious instruction can be given at the expense of the public purse."

The reference to the new English education law is not a happy one, when it is considered that this objectionable law, which forces people to pay for the teaching of a doctrine that they consider wrong, has called forth such a storm of indignation throughout the British Empire as has not been witnessed there since the days of the revolution. It should be remembered that the English Dissenters—as all who do not belong to the established Church of England are termed—now outnumber the members of that church. Yet, according to the law they must contribute to the cost of teaching Church of England doctrine. Led by a distinguished nonconformist prelate, hundreds of thousands of men have banded together and have refused to pay the tax, whereupon, according to the English law, their belongings have been sold at auction, often entailing upon them misery and want, although in most cases those who sympathize with them have come to their relief. So widespread is this movement that it threatens to overturn the government at the next election.

Dr. Hart comes to the conclusion that, in view of the alarming condition of the morality of the nation, it must be conceded that the public education is a failure. His suggestions for an improvement are, briefly, as follows:

"I would stop the public education at about the sixth and seventh grade. I would take the money now expended on high schools and universities and spend it on lower education. The character is formed practically between 7 and 14. "I would supply a teacher to every twelve children. I would make those children, by almost individual attention, master, and thoroughly master, the groundwork of education. They should read aloud history, geography, etc., and plenty of it; they should write compositions; commit to memory the best of literature.

"I would publish a book of extracts from the Bible, which is the highest literature we possess. I would have the Ten Commandments often repeated and thoroughly taught, and some textbook provided for the explanation of their principles.

"By this plan, a boy or girl of fifteen or sixteen would leave the public care thoroughly and accurately instructed in the groundwork of education, and, which is of far more importance, with habits of careful observation, accurate expression, economy of time well established, and—above all—with the law of labor, not play, stamped upon the character."

Much that the author says here is true. There is no question that our system of public-school education has many weak points, and they have frequently been pointed out in the secular press. Too great a variety of subjects are taught, superficially, instead of teaching a few subjects thoroughly. Too much attention is paid to the education of the head, and too little to the education of the heart and the hand. The education of the heart does not, however, necessarily involve the inculcation of religious doctrines, even so far as the reciting of the Ten Commandments, and of passages from the Bible. Even in the Ten Commandments there is room for a difference of opinion. For instance, the Divine command to keep holy the seventh day as the Sabbath would at once raise a storm of discussion and dispute as to whether there is any scriptural authority for changing the holy day to the first day of the week.

Dr. Hart claims that the human race has never decided on a standard of morality. To a certain extent this is true. For instance, in various countries and ages there has always been a great difference of opinion in regard to the status of woman in the social economy. There are, however, certain broad underlying principles of morality that have always been recognized by a great majority of people throughout the world, and they may all be summed up in the new commandment which Jesus gave to his followers: "Love one another." It is true that among some races it is considered a virtue to pursue and kill, or otherwise injure, one who has harmed you or your family, even unto the third and fourth generation. This practice still survives in some of the Southern States. It is one of the beliefs of the American Indian, and is also adhered to by some oriental peoples. Those who hold to this belief in the law of retaliation may also find some support in the Old Testament with its "eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth." But then, in the Old Testament there may also be found sanction for polygamy, and for a number of other things that would not be tolerated nowadays. We are not living under the old dispensation, but under the new.

It seems as if it would be perfectly feasible to frame a few fundamental moral precepts to place before the children in public schools, based upon the law of love, which is—or should be—the basis of all law. The man who loves his neighbor will not seek in any way to injure him or his family, or to cause them pain. Nor need this love be confined to the human race. It should be made to include the helpless dumb animals also, to whom young people are so often unthinkingly cruel. Few reasonable persons would object to the including of some such simple elementary moral training in the public schools.

Dr. Hart concludes his pamphlet by taking a shot at the newspapers, which, he says, "familiarize the public with all forms of vice; unblushing ascribes all sorts of dishonesty to men in office, and has no care for accuracy." This may be true—it is true—of a certain portion of the newspaper press of the United States, but it is not by any means true of a majority of the newspapers of the country, which are distinctly a power for good, not for evil.

FARM LABOR.

A bulletin published by the Bureau of Statistics of the United States Department of Agriculture on the "Wages of Farm Labor in the United States," being the results of twelve statistical investigations from 1866 to 1902, contains interesting and significant facts, that may tend to throw some light on the question as to why young men are inclined to leave the farm, also as to the probability of attaining any success in winning them back to agricultural pursuits. The total number of agricultural laborers is given as 4,410,910, of whom 2,366,149 are members of the families of the farmers, leaving 2,044,761 persons hired on farms outside the farm families, or less than one hired laborer for every alternate farm. Of this total 220,048 are females. Of the States and Territories, Georgia, has the largest number of farm and plantation laborers—120,931—Texas coming second with 104,735, and Illinois third, with 102,296. California ranks nineteenth, with 51,298, of whom only 194 are females. The largest number of female laborers are found, as might be expected, in the Southern States, which report from 3000 to 35,000.

In regard to the wages of farm labor per month for the year or season, with board, the highest rate quoted is in Nevada, $34.14. This is closely followed by Montana, $32, and Wyoming, $31.21. It should be remembered, however, that in these Northwestern States the agricultural season is very short. California comes sixth in the list, with $29.88. The lowest monthly wages quoted are in South Carolina, $8.24. The average for the whole country in 1902 was $16.40.

A great advantage possessed by the southwestern country is that, where irrigation is practiced, farm work may be continued with scarcely any interruption all the year round. This must always be considered in estimating the relative pay of farm help. Hence, the following extract from the report does not apply to California:

"It may be seriously questioned whether this variable period of lowest activity on the farm, especially when in contrast with the greater steadiness of employment in various manufacturing, commercial, or building enterprises, does not constitute the greatest difficulty in procuring help upon the farm."

A table in the report gives the prominent income products of the various States, showing the percentage of farms deriving their principal income from eleven different crops. In this table a notable figure stands out, showing the preponderance of California over all other States and Territories of the Union in fruit raising. The average percentage of farms deriving their principal income from fruits is only 1.4. Only one State—Florida — besides California shows over 5 per cent. California is credited with no less than 25.5 per cent. Not only this, but the report shows that California is justly entitled to the designation "the land of fruits and flowers." The percentage of farms deriving their principal income from the raising of flowers and plants in the country at large is .1, while California is credited with three times as large a percentage, only six States excelling it in this respect.

In regard to accommodations furnished to farm help, the report says:

"With great variations in the details of privileges given with rent, the practice of furnishing house, fuel and a garden or truck patch to the resident farm help prevails in all Southern States, and from Kansas eastward, with individual instances, in most States."

This question of accommodations for farm help is an important one, and should be carefully studied by all who are endeavoring to solve the problem of attracting young men to the farm. It can scarcely be expected that a desirable class of men can be induced to remain longer than necessary on a farm when they are treated with less consideration than the live stock on the place. To many self-respecting people this question of accommodations and treatment cuts more figure than a difference in wages.

DEATHS BY VIOLENCE.

The Chicago Tribune has for some years made a specialty of collecting statistics of deaths by violence (crimes, disasters and suicides,) in the United States. The record for the year 1903 shows that there was an increase of lawlessness during that year, and a decrease in the number of legal executions. The number of deaths from murderous violence was larger in 1903 than in 1902, and there was an increase in the number of suicides. The number of deaths from self-destruction was almost as large as the number of deaths from murderous violence. The Tribune summarizes its statistics as follows:

"There were 8576 crimes resulting in death by various forms of violence in 1903, a small increase over 1902, when there were 8334. One of the most significant features of this record is the fact that 406 of these murders were committed by thugs and hold-up men, being nearly twice as many as were committed last year, and showing proportionately the increase of lawlessness. There were 8597 cases of suicide in 1903. The following figures show the steady increase of self-murder: In 1899, 5340; in 1900, 6755; in 1901, 7245; in 1902, 8291; in 1903, 8597. As has been the case during the last three or four years, poisoning and shooting have been the principal methods, the two numbering 7677 out of 8597. The ease with which poison may be obtained accounts for 4050 of these cases.

"The total number of legal executions in 1903 shows a falling off compared with last year, being 123, as against 144 in 1902, 188 in 1901, and 116 in 1900. There were 77 hanged in the South and 46 in the North, and of these 63 were white and 60 colored. The largest number of hangings was 11 each in Missouri, New York and Alabama; 10 in Virginia, 9 in Georgia, and 8 in Pennsylvania. Lynchings numbered 104, as compared with 96 in 1902. Notwithstanding this comparatively slight increase, an examination of the reports for several years back shows that there were many less lynchings in the decade just closed than in the preceding decade. The total for 1903 includes 92, in the South and 12 in the North; 86 negroes, 17 whites, and one Cunnaman; 102 men and 2 women. The two principal alleged crimes were murder, 47 cases; and criminal assault, 20. Arkansas, Georgia, Louisiana and Mississippi led the list with 11, 12, 14 and 18 respectively. Alabama, which used to be notorious for lynchings, had only two cases, and there were two Southern States, Maryland and Virginia, which had none.

"The loss of life by disasters in 1903 has been large. Shipwrecks on the ocean and inland lakes and rivers have taken 1985 lives. Over 4000 persons have been killed and over 5000 injured in railroad accidents. These figures include only the severely injured, and the list of killed is mainly passengers(?). The complete returns, including those killed and injured on electric roads, will be much larger, as the Tribune's record includes only prominent disasters. There have been numerous other disasters involving heavy loss of life. Cyclones and rockslides. In April killed 127 persons. By cyclones and the floods at Topeka and Kansas City in May 286 persons perished. In June there was a series of unusual disasters. Eighty lives were lost by a cyclone at Gainesville, Ga.; 58 by a flood at Spartansburg, S. C.; 31 by a cloudburst at Clifton, Ariz.; and 200 by a cloudburst at Heppner, Or. Then the country enjoyed immunity from great disasters until December 30, when between 500 and 600 lives were lost by the burning of the Iroquois Theater—the crowning horror of the year's record at home or abroad. The embezzlers and defaulters in 1903 got away with $6,586,165, not a large sum as compared with the average of the last fifty years."

Commenting upon the statistics of crime the Macon (Ga.) Telegraph declares with truth that "there seems to be no way to check suicides, but murders and homicides would be far fewer if the courts dealt out justice more certainly and swiftly. In one way or another the law is prevented from being the terror to the murderer that it should be." There is a great deal of truth in this observation. That lawlessness and disrespect for authority are steadily growing in the United States there can be no doubt. The remedy for this alarming tendency lies in a more thorough enforcement of the laws by the courts, and in a more thorough upholding of peace officers in the performance of their duties. No officer can do his duty fearlessly and unflinchingly unless he feels that he has back of him the moral support of the community.

The continued disclosures in the case of the Iroquois Theater fire in Chicago merely add evidence to the recklessness of everybody whose business it was to see that the lives of visitors to that fatal playhouse should be safeguarded. Chicago business interests generally are paying dearly for the disregard of the laws of the city and of humanity. As for those engaged in amusement enterprises, they are reaping a very harvest of trouble and loss which has its pathetic side, for those in need of their earnings from work on the stage are being even harder hit than owners and managers. But in the end good will come, which is the only bright spot in the whole sad and regrettable affair.

Chicago has inaugurated a movement for the removal of the slum population to farming sections of the country and it is a movement that deserves to succeed. But the average slum dweller would rather starve in the purlieus than run a chance of prosperity in the green fields and beside the running brooks of the country districts. If Chicago is successful in corraling her slum-dwellers she will have demonstrated that her motto "I will" is one that she deserves to wear upon her breastplate.

The ultra-Bryanites threaten direful things to the Democracy next fall unless the last Chicago and Kansas City platforms are substantially indorsed. And there are several millions of good Democrats who are determined that if the vagaries of those platforms are incorporated in the platform of 1904, there shall be about the same sort of things doing in national politics that there was in 1896 and in 1900. Such being the case the Democratic finist next fall can be observed with the naked eye.

The Los Angeles development boom doesn't stop for dry weather, the rumors of war in the Orient or an attack upon the United States by the irate people of Colombia. We are going gaily along growing like a weed and flourishing like a whole forest of green bay trees. This is the sort of grit and "git thar" which makes great cities and puts the stamp of greatness upon a people.

With her usual grace Southern California has given way to Sacramento county in the matter of space at the World's Fair, and, as was to be expected, has secured a better and more generous location for the exhibition of our manifold products. Southern California isn't in the habit of getting left, to any great extent.

China is in peril again, but as the Boxers are not among those who are rampant it is not probable that the United States will have to undertake to restore peace and show the assembled forces of the nations how Yankee soldiers can scale walls and do other daring deeds in a highly exciting and gallant manner.

And now comes Prof. Behring of Berlin with a proposition to add a gram of formalin to every ten-quart can of milk. And this just as Los Angeles has succeeded in reducing the formalin habit among out milkmen to a minimum. Unless eternal vigilance is on tap we may look for another boom in dope.

It has taken a long time to destroy the famous Crocker "spite fence" in San Francisco, but it is down at last. Time, thank fortune, wears out the deadliest hate and even a Kentucky feud has been known to wear itself out when all the fighters on both sides have been killed off.

The winter visitor who is rollicking in the sunshine of California is doubtless congratulating himself about now on the fact that it was his turn to come west this winter, instead of that of some other member of the family.

The alleged real King of Servia is holding down a job of tending bar in an eastern city and he seems to prefer it to taking a chance of being Alexandered in his bed. He is a wise monarch, even though uncrowned.

With the Hill case and the Chilmer case settled for the time being Los Angeles is now open to further disturbance. And it is safe to predict that the disturbance will be coming along, all in good time.

There is this to be said about it—with each passing day a vote on the canal-treaty question comes nearer and nearer. The comfort in the thought may be meager, but it will help out.

Those Chicago ghouls who robbed the dead in the Iroquois Theater fire are almost as sorry a lot of rascals as those striking drivers who have been holding up funerals in that city.

It now looks as if Colombia wasn't going to attack us, and the breath comes and goes more freely. But it was a close call.

It might be worth while to plant a few trees, now that the fact has been demonstrated that it can rain if given a chance.

Boston has a new sect which doesn't believe in shaving or cutting the hair. Possibly an offshoot of the good old Pops.

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

Ambassador Choate has moved into his new home in Carlton Garden, London.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid will make an extended trip through the West in March.

Sir William Allen, who died recently, said: "The world has been my chief educator, the men my books."

S. Fred Nixon of Chautauqua, N. Y., will this year serve his sixth term as Speaker of the New York Assembly.

It is said that Henry Harland has abandoned Italy, temporarily, at least, as the source of scenery for his fiction.

A complete collection of Indian army medals from 1799 to 1900 has been presented to the French government by Lord Curzon.

Miss Ethel Bailey of Crystal Springs, Miss., sister of Senator Bailey of Texas, has entered Mississippi politics as a candidate for State Librarian.

One of the most popular actors in Vienna is Ludwig Martinelli, who has been on the stage forty-five years. He is still active in his profession.

Rev. Father McKeever, rector of the St. Rose of Lima Church, of Newark, N. J., announces that he will offer gold medals as a reward for firemen who save lives.

Grover Cleveland has lived in the time of more administrations than any other citizen who has ever been President—in all eighteen, exclusive of his own two.

Dr. Alonzo A. Ames, former Mayor of Minneapolis, and now under sentence to serve six years in prison for his participation in municipal graft, has become an author. He is writing a book on "Graft," it is said.

The Archduke Leopold Salvator of Austria will send his balloon Meteor to participate in the airship competition at the St. Louis Exposition. The Exposition Commissioners are trying to get the Archduke to go to the fair himself.

The King of the Hellenes has just conferred the Cross of the Order of the Savior on Mr. Falconer Larkworthy, whose name was familiar for nearly thirty years in London as managing director of the Bank of New Zealand.

The German Emperor is a mechanic as well as a ruler, musician, poet, scientist, etc. He has drawn plans for a five-seated automobile of eight horse power. The Kaiser will use it in his outings. The machine is being made at Cologne.

An early marshal and premier pear of Great Britain, the Duke of Norfolk will be entitled to an escort of cavalry on the occasion of his forthcoming marriage. This is his right for all state ceremonies, and on any other occasion which he may desire so to honor.

Although the late Lord Salisbury was much interested in science and was a fellow of the British Royal Society, he never approved of the extreme view of some of his associates. He was particularly opposed to the theory of evolution as taught by Herbert Spencer, and of the descent of man, as enunciated by Charles Darwin.

Admiral Schley, who in pursuit of his naval duties has been constantly on the move for forty-five years, and, therefore, has no legal residence, wants to vote this year in Maryland, his native State. To that end, his friends in the Maryland Legislature have under consideration a proposition to introduce a resolution at Annapolis to enable him to register and vote in that city at the next election. The admiral has never cast a ballot.

"TWEENTIMES."

By E. A. Brininstool.

THE PHONOGRAPH FIEND.

A fellow owns a phonograph, who lives across the street,
Which has a voice that's brassy, shrill, and anything but sweet.
From morn till night it bellows forth its jangling, blatant air,
And causes all the neighborhood to stop its ears and swear.
It bawls out "Oh, Bill Bailey," and it imitates the tones
Of Sousa's band so awfully that everybody groans;
And all our thoughts are muddled and our minds get out of gear,
When he sticks it in the window so everyone can hear.

And the old folks sit and sigh,
While the babies fret and cry,
But the fellow never notices our raillery and chaff;
And a dozen times a day,
From that house across the way,
Comes the wild, discordant echoes of that awful phonograph!

There are no limitations to the things I'd like to say,
When, wheezing, shrieking dolefully, the thing begins to play.
It slaughters "Hiawatha," and the "Holy City," too,
And fairly makes us frantic with its "Dooley-oo.ey-oo!"
And I can hear a chuckle from its owner, when he dares
To torture us with records of the "latest rag-time airs;"
But oh, the maledictions that are heaped upon his head,
When he produces music that for ages has been dead!

Like "Ta-ra-ra-boom-de-ay,"
"Sweet Marie" and "Dollie Gray"—
Old-time songs at which our fathers and grandfathers used to laugh;
And we're always mighty lucky
To escape that "Old Kentucky,"
When the fiend across the street winds up that awful phonograph!

There appears to be no danger that the melodies will cease,
Though the neighbors all are hoping there will come a day of peace,
When their ears will not be greeted with the notes of "Lam', Lam', Lam'!"
"She's Mah Filipino Baby" and "He Fought For Uncle Sam."
And unless he quits the nuisance we propose to go some night,
And beneath his parlor window place a charge of dynamite.
And a ton or two of powder, which will relegate the pest
"Where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest!"

And we'll plant him 'neath the ground,
Far away from sight and sound,
And upon his headstone carve in letters bold this epitaph:
"Underneath this stone there lies
One of those atrocious guys
Placed here by the folks he pestered with a screechy phonograph!"

Langley's airship never flew, but all his hopes for future experimental appropriations have.

California is crying, "water, water!" and the East gurgles, "take it away!" It's a queer, queer world.

The fire fiend seems determined to get Chicago thoroughly acquainted with his red-hot method of doing business.

We not only want fireproof theaters, but we want fireproof audiences, as well.

Here's another pointer: If you arrive at the theater late, never mind the actors nor the play. Locate the exits first.

Possibly Russia and Japan are waiting for the moving-picture apparatus to be placed.

Sort o' looks as if the East could hear "In the Good Old Summertime" encored over and over without a kick.

If radium is really a cure-all, it might be well to try it on the graft germs which are floating around the country.

The price of anti-toxin is again going to be raised. If you want to have diphtheria at a moderate price, you'll have to hurry!

Chicago churches are rapidly being closed until they comply with the building ordinance. Will the men now declare it is because they are unsafe that they do not attend divine worship?

When Jim Creelman and Richard Harding Davis begin packing their steamer trunks, we may have grave fears about those dispatches of peace between Russia and Japan.

A new play is out by Clyde Fitch entitled, "Glad of It." If the asbestos curtain goes up promptly at 8 and down again at 10:30, without a hitch, we certainly are.

That earthquake which was reported to have terrified Kentuckians may have been only a few scattering remarks from Col. Hank Watterson about the "400."

The women of London have taken to wearing night caps. The men also have the night-cap habit, but their method of procedure is slightly different from that of the women.

Congress having lost faith in Langley's airship experiment, the professor might now turn his attention to a rain-making machine, especially adapted for use in California.

Mr. Bryan declares that the props under the Kansas City platform show not the slightest signs of decay, but wait until the St. Louis convention begins to peel the outer bark aside.

A Kansas man drew $10,000 in a lottery, and the excitement was so great that he dropped dead of heart failure. What a lucky thing that most of the tickets draw blanks!

In spite of all the tom-tom pounding and pandemonium which the opponents of Roosevelt are making, our Teddy pursues the even tenor of his way, unruffled and calmly serene, while the Roosevelt boom daily rolls White Houseward.

After reading those dispatches from the East of howling blizzards, with the thermometer at 40 below zero, it doesn't seem possible that in four short months the girly-girls will again be wearing peek-a-boo waists and screen-door stockings.

John D. Rockefeller is going to quit giving money to Baptist colleges, because of a disagreement with the American Baptist Educational Society. The church members might get back at John by burning tallow candles until he gets over his mad spell.

EXPERT ON CROP METHODS.

POWELL HERE TO MAKE STUDY OF CITRUS STORAGE.

Recommendations to be Made for Publication by the Government. What Growers Would Like to Know is How to Get Better Returns.

An advent of interest to persons connected with the Southern California citrus industry is the arrival here from Washington of G. Harold Powell of the United States Department of Agriculture, pomologist in charge of government fruit-storage investigations. He is staying at the Hollenbeck.

Expert Powell was sent here by Secretary of Agriculture Wilson to make a careful study of the conditions in which oranges and lemons are grown in the different localities, and to investigate the various methods of handling the crop in the groves, in the curing and packing-houses, and in transit. An effort will be made to discover the principal causes of loss between the tree and the consumer, from the point of soils, altitudes, packing and transportation methods in vogue.

For several years past citrus-fruit growers and organizations in southern California interested in this industry, including the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, have been requesting Secretary Wilson to undertake a government investigation of this sort, similar to the work which has been done by the government for deciduous fruits in the East.

After spending several weeks in the groves and packing houses, studying the practice, rather than the theory of the local citrus industry, Mr. Powell will outline a series of investigations to be undertaken, the results of which will be published by the department.

Mr. Powell said yesterday: "Investigations will be made to determine the influence of altitudes, soils, amount of irrigation and age of trees, from the standpoint of the grower, upon the ultimate keeping and shipping qualities of the fruit. From the standpoint of the methods of handling the crop, the investigations will eventually cover such problems as the influence of the degree of maturity of fruit when picked, the length of time it is held after picking; of temperatures, humidity and other conditions in the curing houses, and the methods of shipping, as bearing upon the keeping quality of the fruit.

"Investigation will also be made of the behavior of both oranges and lemons under various temperatures in cold storage, to determine whether it is commercially practicable to store the fruit in low temperatures.

"For several years various organizations and individuals in Southern California have requested the Secretary of Agriculture to take up a systematic study of the causes of the losses in citrus fruit between the grower and the consumer."

Mr. Powell stated that the department has not been able to undertake the work before, as funds have not been provided for the purpose, but he declares that the results of the work now in prospect will be of such importance to California fruit interests that larger provision will be made for the purpose in the future.

He states that these investigations will probably extend over a series of years before it will be safe to draw general conclusions therefrom.

"Growers are usually apt to trace their losses to the middleman and the transportation companies," said he, "but we find that much loss is traceable to the commercial methods of handling the fruit."

Other studies which Mr. Powell has conducted on similar lines with reference to deciduous fruits in the East, and which have been published by the government, are "The Apple in Cold Storage," and "Cold Storage with Reference to Pears and Peaches."

The citrus-fruit investigations will eventually be extended over all classes of fruits grown on the Pacific Coast.

A citrus-fruit experimental station may also be located in this vicinity by the Department of Agriculture.

MEN'S MEETING.

Y.M.C.A. Addressed by Burdette, "Just Across the Way"—Love and Service.

"My sons, I want you to consider Temple Baptist Church an annex of the Y.M.C.A. I want you to feel perfectly at home here, and if your building over across the street isn't big enough to hold you—why, we are!"

Such was the genial and fatherly greeting of Rev. Robert J. Burdette to a large audience of men from the Young Men's Christian Association, gathered yesterday afternoon at Temple Church, which, as the speaker said, is "just across the way."

At the men's meeting yesterday afternoon there were scores of men upon whom the gray of life's winter is fast settling. It seems at every gathering of the "Young" Men's Christian Association that there are more of the older men in evidence—which shows the broad scope of the work, and the ever-present desire among all ages of mankind to be eternally young.

The session in Temple Church was the first of a series, and the interest manifested was sustained throughout the talk of Rev. Burdette. Next Sunday, the same speaker will again address this body at Temple Church, at 3 o'clock p.m.

Burdette chose the parable of the rich ruler and Christ for his subject, and dwelt forcibly upon the law of love and service. He drew some pertinent conclusions.

"You hear a lot of talk," said he, "about the goodness of the people inside the churches. Approach a young fellow who is not a Christian with a plea for his personal salvation, and he will tell you that he is just as good as most church members. He will give the young ruler's answer that he has kept all the commands of the law—that he has never been jailed, and that he has always borne a passably good reputation. He will compare himself with church members—sometimes pretty favorably, it must be admitted. Bless you, my sons, the church was not made for good men! It was made for sinners—first, last and all the time!

"Napoleon complained that Christ commanded the renunciation of everything in life. True, he asks the followers to give their hearts—that for which a lover often prays in vain—their love, that for which a mother sometimes begs upon her knees. You aren't you selling your liberty just as much when you enter the employ of a business firm? Aren't you sold out at $50 a month, when you stipulate to work for that salary in a store? If you want to go, don't you have to ask the book-keeper, or the head clerk, if you may leave?

"And the reward? One of the rewards is learning. When I meet a young fellow of twenty or thirty or forty, or even sixty years going about assuming that he knows it all, I say, 'Look out, my son—pretty soon some man will be selling you a gold brick!' And when a man assumes this knowit-all air, some one usually does play him that sort of a trick.

"This is a strange world—a world of learners. We are only going through it. Travelers, as it were, through the dark forest of time. Some day we shall come out in the brightness and clearness of the beyond."

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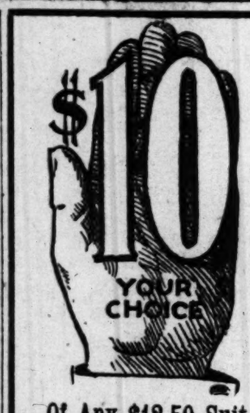

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give a popular lecture illustrated by stereopticon views.

(4.) "The State Board of Charities and its Plans," by its secretary, M. E. Yates.

BELIEVE WALTERS INNOCENT.

Yesterday's telegraphic news brought to one Los Angeles family tidings that have left the members prostrated with grief and anxiety, as they have learned of the arrest of the son and brother, James M. Walters, Jr., at Chicago on the charge of stealing $10,000 worth of diamonds from the apartments of Baroness von Horst at the Colonial Hotel in San Francisco. Young Walters was a Los Angeles boy, and is now only in his twenty-third year. He is well-known in this city, and was here only a few weeks ago visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Walters, at No. 1923 Adair street. He has always borne a fine reputation here, and has hosts of friends, who cannot believe that Walters is guilty of the robbery. For nine years the Walters family has resided in Los Angeles, and the son has received careful home training. He is a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. For three years he was an employé of the Express, and then took up hotel work, having had employment at the Gordon Arms, the Van Nuys and Broadway Van Nuys. Last season he was an employé at the new Lake Hotel in Yellowstone Park, and recently went to San Francisco to take a position in a hotel.

PERSONAL.

A. J. Hill of Fresno, advertising writer, formerly of this city, is at the Hollenbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cole have returned from their wedding trip and Mrs. Cole will be at home this afternoon at the Angelus.

J. B. Richardson of Richardson Bros., publishers of the Davenport (Iowa) Democrat, is a winter visitor at the Van Nuys Broadway.

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play, set in the rich red trimmings. The exhibit is being arranged by Miss Kate Collins and Mrs. Hutchinson, a sister of Mrs. Coronel, aided by Mrs. Wheeler, custodian.

The first public meeting of a business character held in the new building will be the Camino Real convention, January 30, to consider ways and means for constructing a new King's Highway.

The committee appointed by the chamber to arrange for the formal opening of the building February 12 will meet today to plan the programme. As the regular annual meeting of the chamber takes place the afternoon of the 12th, when the reports of the outgoing officers will be heard, and the address of the incoming president, the festivities of the opening will probably be largely confined to the evening.

The famous Palmer collection of Indian antiquities has been moved to the new building. Great care was necessary in moving this collection of 1000 pieces, as it represents many thousands of dollars in value, and some of the articles are extremely small and easily pilfered.

Sole Agents for Fasso Corsets

SPLENDID NEW SILKS

Last week's buyers will find many new weaves here this week; Tuesday's callers will see a different display than Monday's; and so on and on. The new fabrics are shown here before anywhere else in Los Angeles—and usually the choicest ones are confined to our selling. Only by frequent visits to the store can you keep posted on the latest silk news.

At $1.25
New Shanghai Silks
This particular weave promises to be one of the most popular of all the *New Silks* for Spring, 1904. Plain colors, showing latest shades of heliotrope, pink, light and deep tints of blue (including Gobelin)—brown and black. A particularly serviceable Silk, for Costumes and Waists, 24 inches wide, at $1.25.

At 85c
$1.00 Black Taffetas
Excellent quality Black Taffeta Silk—sufficiently heavy for skirts or drops—full 36 inches wide, our standard $1.00 value, today at 85c.

At $1.50
Crepe de Angelus
A handsome new crepe weave—all pure silk—for evening gowns and reception dresses; white, cream, ivory and champagne—also the deeper shades of gray, blue, brown, pink, maize and cardinal—24 inches wide, price $1.50 a yard.

At 47½c
$1.50 Plaid Velvets.
Prior to closing our yearly inventory of stock we shall dispose of the remainder of these 19-inch 1.50 fancy plaid Silk Velvets (for waists) at 47½c a yard.

CHIFFON VELVETS
The latest and BEST production of the weavers this season is "Chiffon-Velvet," a decided improvement over Panne Velvet, inasmuch as the NAP runs both ways. Women will know. Fourteen colors, including black. New spring shades, of course. Chiffon-Velvets measure 19 inches in width, and sell for $2.25 a yard.

Sole Agents for Ostermoor Mattresses

Coulter Dry Goods Co

Sale of Dressmakers' Findings

Don't despise the small savings. A few pennies here, a nickel there, and a dime on another purchase, soon run into dollars; and besides, these things are of common everyday use; so why not lay in a supply while prices are so much under prevailing market values?

Hooks and Eyes
Standard numbers of J. & P. Coates' best 6-cord spool cotton; Nos. 36 to 70; white; put up expressly for dressmakers; 1200 yds. for 25c.

J. & P. Coates' Cotton
Broken lines of "Hump" hooks and eyes, assorted sizes, silver or japanned; sort commonly sold at 5c a card; in this sale, 2 cards for 5c.

Standard quality silk seam binding, 8-yard pieces; usually 10c or 12½c; special at 8c, or two pieces for 15c.

Bone Casing
Plain and fancy, put up in 9-yard pieces, all colors; regularly 15c; in the sale at 10c a piece.
Best quality polished French Dress bones; 8 to 15c usually; all at 5c, assorted lengths.

Dress Shields
Broken lines of standard makes; many of them near to half; 25c, 35c and 40c values; at 20c a pair; nainsook and silk covered.

Skirt Bindings
Mohair Brush Bindings; black and good range of colors; quality sold ordinarily at 5c a yard; in the sale, 3 yards for 10c.

Skirts Made to Measure
At Cost of Materials

We employ a corps of skilled workmen in our Manufacturing Department, which is presided over by an experienced man-tailor who knows all the fine points of the business. Occasionally, when work gets a little slack, we offer to make skirts *Free* for a few days. This is one of the times—and here's the proposition:

You Buy the Required Material
—at $1.25 or more per yard—and necessary finding, and we will make a plain flare 5 to 8-gore walking skirt absolutely free of further cost—with the exception of a nominal charge for pads, pockets and belts.

Any Style Skirt Desired
For a small additional charge—above cost of materials—we will make for you any style skirt desired. In either case a perfect fit is guaranteed. There's lots of satisfaction in being satisfied.

Time for Taking Measures
The man in charge of the Tailoring Department will be at the store each afternoon from 2 until 6 o clock for the purpose of taking measurements, but material may be selected and appointment made in advance.

Bountiful Blanket Bargains
Last Week of the January Sale!

It's now or never. If you don't take advantage of these reductions this week you might as well prepare to pay higher prices—or wait until July for another like opportunity for money saving; because it's hardly probable that such values will be offered again inside of six months.

Blankets at $2.25
Excellent quality 11-quarter white wool mixed blankets, fancy colored borders, silk taped; $3.00 value at $2.25.
$3.50 Blankets $2.85
$5.00 Blankets $3.65
Bigger the price, better the bargain; the blankets above measure full 11-quarter, and are worth every cent of regular prices.

Linen Remnants
Along with the Blanket Bargains we're going to clean up a lot of Linen Remnants—Tablecloth Lengths—at prices that should interest thrifty housekeepers.
The saving on these linen short lengths will easily average from
15 to 25 Per Cent
Off Regular Prices

Blankets at $4.35
These measure 12-quarter, good weight, fancy colored borders, silk taped; good $6.00 value; sale price $4.35 a pair.
$6.50 Blankets $4.85
$7.50 Blankets $5.65
Those at $4.85 are 12-quarter, the $5.65 measuring full 11-quarter; good weight, fine and firmly woven; ready this morning.

COULTER DRY GOODS COMPANY
317-319-321-323-325 South Broadway

Sole Agents for Redfern Corsets

ALLOVERS HALF PRICE
Wonderful examples of the weaver's art—these embroidered and tinseled and plain Chiffon Allovers; but best of all, you buy them today at Exactly Half Price—$1.12½ to $5.00 a yard, instead of $2.25 to $10. They measure fully 45 inches in width; plain colors, fancy combinations and black—especially desirable for party and reception dresses; and think of taking pick for half-price today.

At 10c
15c to 20c Flannelettes
Free and unrestricted choice of all the pretty fleece-back and printed Flannelettes—including the popular "Eclipse" brand—light and dark colorings; stripes, dots and figures; all the 15c Flannelettes, all the 16⅔c Flannelettes, all the 20c Flannelettes—at 10c a yard today for quick clean-up.

At 10c
25c Fleece-back Cheviots
Splendid designs and colorings—pick and choose freely; basket weaves, fancy vesting effects and cheviot waistings: fleece-back; 25c sorts—10c today.

At 75c
$1.00 to $1.50 Waistings
This is a final clearance of all the choicest mercerized Cotton Waistings, including cheviots, basket weaves, broches, etc., in plain white and exquisitely pretty colored figures on white grounds; 32 to 36 inches wide; $1.00 to $1.50 fabrics; 75c a yard today.

At 50c
All the 85c Waistings
Balance of the fine Cheviot and Basket Waistings, in white and dainty colored designs on white grounds; goods regularly sold at 85c a yard; priced at 50c for quick clean-up.

35c CHALLIE AT 15 CENTS
Something like six hundred yards of silk striped wool and cotton mixed Challies are marked at a quick-step price this morning; plain colors—all the popular shades; challies sold regularly during the season at 35c; specially priced for rapid selling at 15c a yard.

Sole Agents for Old Bleach Linens

Today's Half-Price Special.....
Will be an odd lot of richly decorated Plates, Salad Bowls, Cake Plates, Chop Dishes, Melon Trays, etc.
H. F. Vollmer & Co.
On Broadway, Corner Third.

Kodaks, Photo Supplies, Art Pictures, Framing, Developing, Printing and Enlarging our specialty.
All orders given prompt attention. Send for catalogue.
HOWLAND & CO.
213 So. Broadway.

THE
Frank B. Long
PIANO
Unequaled in tone. 514 South Hill St.

BURNS FOR
GOOD SHOES
CHEAP!
240 South Spring Street.

The Place to Buy
A Piano
Fisher Music Company
449 S. Spring St.

H. JEVNE
"You're Safe at Jevne's."
If the housekeeper went to the wholesale markets herself she could not choose finer, purer food than what she buys at Jevne's. "You're safe at Jevne's" in ordering anything in this big store either by 'phone or in person. We have built our business and our large custom on a pure-food foundation. Send your orders to Jevne.
SMOKE JEVNE'S FINE CIGARS
208-210 S. Spring St.—Wilcox Building.

The Finest Fruit Store
In the Whole United States.
Our new store attracts the attention of people who must have the best that the market affords. Healthful fruits and vegetables of every kind are here in endless supply right from the mountain ranches.
LAMB FRUIT CO., 452 S. Broadway. Both Phones 398.

RIPE OLIVES---
Buying them from us? Ought to; we carry California's finest—celebrated Ehmann Olive. Put up by their special method which leaves over 90 per cent. of the oil in the olive. Entirely free from artificial coloring.
LUDWIG & MATTHEWS,
Tel. M. 550. Mott Market.

BB SELF RAISING BUCKWHEAT

CITRUS WASHING POWDER
Keeps the hands white. Makes washing and cleaning easy. The best Washing Powder.

No matter if your honeymoon did occur ten, twenty or even thirty years ago. Take another; you will enjoy it more than the first one if you go East via the
Golden State Limited.
Leaves San Francisco, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles daily, December 25 to April 10 for Topeka, Kansas City and Chicago. Southern route—by way of El Paso—through a land where winter is unknown.
Fast as the fastest. Finer than the finest. Tickets, berths and literature at this office and at Southern Pacific ticket offices.
FRANK L. MILLER, District Passenger Agent, 257 South Spring Street, Los Angeles.

EXCELSIOR LAUNDRY
...1 W. Second St. 526 S. Spring St. 424 S. Los Angeles St.
Telephone Main 367 and our collector will call.

HAY! HAY! HAY!
First grade Alfalfa Hay for sale In Carloads.
R. P. H. LANEY - - - - YUMA, ARIZONA.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 24.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.02; at 5 p.m., 29.96. Thermometer for the corresponding hours shows 49 deg. and 62 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 54 per cent.; 5 p.m., 39 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 4 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 7 miles. Maximum temperature, 71 deg.; minimum, 47 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Fair weather prevails over the southern portion of the Pacific Slope, and cloudy weather over the northern. Light rain is falling over the western portions of Washington and Oregon, and snow over Eastern Oregon. The pressure has risen rapidly over the northwestern portion of the country and falls over Utah and Arizona. The temperature changes have been slight in all districts. A north wind of 34 miles an hour is reported from Eureka.

Forecast:

Northern California: Fair Monday; fresh northwest wind.

Southern California: Fair Monday; brisk north wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Monday; fresh northwest wind.

Sacramento and vicinity: Fair Monday; fresh northwest wind.

Arizona: Fair Monday; colder in northern portions; Tuesday fair.

Liners.

Telephone your want advertisement, ring up Press One any time of day or night, and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rates, one cent a word each insertion, minimum charge, 25c.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy nor assume responsibility for errors of any kind occuring in telephone advertisements.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

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PROF. W. J. HANEY WILL DELIVER AN interesting lecture at the Los Angeles Institute of Psychology, 327 S. Broadway, Tuesday evening, Jan. 26, at 7:30 sharp. Subject, "Vibration." Followed by an entertaining and interesting hypnotic demonstration. Admission free. 26

YOU HAVEN'T TOUCHED BEDROCK prices in groceries until you have tried Secured at: 5 lbs. beans 25c; 10 lbs. prunes 25c; 3 lbs. Japan tea 25c; bacon 12½c lb.; pickles by quart 15c; Arbuckle 10c; 10 lbs. sugar 51; 6 lbs. rice 25c; 2 cans jam 25c. ECONOMIC, 317 S. Broadway. 25

"TRISTLEBANK," BRITISH BARK, Captain Parry, from Antwerp. Neither captain nor undersigned, consignees of above-named vessel, will be responsible for any debts that may be contracted by the crew. G. W. M'NEAR.

PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpets cleaned and relaid same day if desired. We buy and sell carpets. 437 S. BROADWAY. Tel. Main 217, Home 217.

FOR SLE—BY T. M. COMPANY, 121 W. FIFTH ST. Bamboo goods, wholesale and retail. TEL. RED 3623.

CHICAGO WALL PAPER CO.—SELLING entire line of the papers at 5c; all 10c papers 7½c. 341 BROADWAY, both phones.

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS cleans carpets by vacuum, and repairing. 239 E. 4th. Tel. Main 715. Home 715.

W. R. BLACKMAN—
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
324 PFLUEGER BLDG., LOS ANGELES.

FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS. 1103 E. Seventh st. Tel. Sunset Main 1104; Home 804.

BORDERS SAME PRICE AS PAPER; BEST paint, 15c gallon. WALTER, 437 S. Spring.

WILMS' DETECTIVE AGENCY—
OFFICES WILSON BLK., LOS ANGELES.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. Home 3241; James 8371. MRS. HEATH.

M'KELVEY MAKES THE BEST WINDOW shades. Fact. 229 W. 6TH. Home 'phone 3716.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. Home 3241. James 8371. MRS. HEATH.

RATES FOR ADS. UNDER THIS HEADING, 10c per line; minimum charge 20c.

CHURCH NOTICES—

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, of Los Angeles. Services in the church edifice, 17th st., near Figueroa, Sunday, 10:45 a.m., sermon from the Christian Science Quarterly, subject, "Sacrament." Solo by Miss Simmons. Sabbath school at 10:45 a.m.; testimonial meeting, Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.; reading-room in the church parlor, open daily from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Take Washington st. car to Figueroa and 17th; Traction to 18th and Georgia.

PERSONAL—Business.

PERSONAL—
ARRIVAL EXTRAORDINARY.
TRANCE LIFE-READER
AND ASTROLOGIST.

Prof. Antone Web r, the great German life reader and astrologist, has arrived, and can be consulted on all affairs of life; no matter what trouble, he tells you your name, your mother's maiden name; the name of the one you love; tells you your age, and what you call for, without asking a single question. Positively

NO CHARGE—NO CHARGE.

Unless you find him superior to any life reader, palmist or fortune teller in the city; $5000 challenge, and all challenges accepted, to anyone that can excel him in his wonderful revelations of anyone, past, present and future. Private parlors, 115½ S. BROADWAY, one flight. Mrs. Weber meets all callers in the reception room. Hours from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m., daily and Sunday.

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PERSONAL—MRS. MASSON OF LONDON, England, Scientific Palmist and Life Reader, 72½ S. Fourth st. (opp. Hotel Angelus.) Readings are careful, conscientious and scientific; you are told just what you want to know; past events and their dates are given, and present and future prospects carefully pointed out. High-class patronage solicited. 30

PERSONAL—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE Home EXCHANGE TWO.

PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE life reading; palmist; business; lawsuits; unsated locations described; speculations; property, love affairs. 615½ S. SPRING ST., room 3. 26c to $1.

RATES FOR ADS. UNDER THIS HEADING, 10c per line; minimum charge 20c.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 321½ S. SPRING, palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

WANTED—Help. Male.

WANTED—
FORTIN & HAWKINS,
The Los Angeles Employment Hustlers.
MAIN OFFICES,
104-106 N. Los Angeles st., corner First.
BOTH PHONES 419.
An up-to-date employment bureau.

The largest and best-equipped on the Coast.

We gave work to 10,000 men last year.

Large gangs a specialty.

Put no order too small to receive our prompt and best attention.

YOUR ORDERS SOLICITED.

OUR FEMALE OFFICE,
Yamona Block, corner Third and Spring.

See list under Female Help Wanted.

FORTIN & HAWKINS.

WANTED—HELP! HELP!! HELP!!!
JAPANESE
PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
611 W. SIXTH ST.
HOUSE-CLEANING DEPARTMENT.
PHONES HOME 3078. MAIN 1714.
Most reliable help promptly furnished; ranch work by contract. 24

WANTED—
HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,
EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.

A strictly First-class, Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.

118 and 118 East Second street,
Between Main and Los Angeles sts.
Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast.
TELEPHONE MAIN 909.
HOME 909.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN the barber trade in the only reliable barber college in the city of Los Angeles who have schools throughout the United States and control a large number of barber shops; also wages paid while learning. We are offering special inducements at present, practically teaching the barber trade free. For particulars call or address WESTERN COLLEGE OF BARBERS, incorporated, 209½ S. Broadway, rooms 19-20, Los Angeles; also 647 Commercial st., San Francisco.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN barber trade for $25; only first-class, fully-guaranteed tools furnished; lowest rate on the Coast. Tuition earned back while learning. We furnish constant practice under competent, painstaking and practical instructors, thus insuring proficiency in shortest possible time, and place you in a position at full barber's wages. Calls for our graduates are constantly increasing owing to the reputation we have established among boss barbers for turning out competent workmen. Take advantage of the reduced rate at once, as our chairs are rapidly filling. Call or address AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., Incorporated, 413 N. Main. 25

WANTED—JAPANESE
INFORMATION BUREAU.
128 N. MAIN.
John 1186. Home 7469.

DOMESTIC.

Cooks, waiters, porters, house workers; also day workers, etc.

CONTRACT.

Ranch hands of all kinds, railroading, gardening, etc.

WANTED — ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH your present position and salary? If not, write us for plan and terms; we have openings for managers, secretaries, advertising men, salesmen, book-keepers, mining men, etc., paying from $960 to $10,000 a year; high grade exclusively.

HAPGOODS (Inc.)
Suite H, 902 Pioneer Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

WANTED—JAPANESE
EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.
Phones
Main 1499. Home 1468.
349 E. First st.
We furnish all kinds of reliable help on short notice, by day, hour or contract.

WANTED—HELP: M. E. MISSION JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU. Tel. West 579. Home 3733.

House cleaning department.
Furnish most reliable help.
Cook, waiter, porter, janitor, house worker, dishwasher, schoolboy, ranch hand.
AT ONCE.
923 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—DON'T WEAR OUT YOUR BRAINS TRYING TO THINK WHERE YOU CAN GET RELIABLE HELP OF ALL KINDS. MALE AND FEMALE. E. W. REID & CO., EMPLOYMENT BUREAU FURNISHES THEM AT SHORT NOTICE. GORDON BLOCK, 204½ S. BROADWAY. ROOMS 21 AND 22. HOME 1094, MAIN 1084. 25

WANTED—
JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.
543 S. Olive st.
Phone Main 1947. Home 8718.
Strictly first-class and largest agency in this city; carefully-selected male and female help of all descriptions and nationalities furnished promptly; labor furnished by the day.

WANTED—
JAPANESE
EMPLOYMENT OFFICE.
123 W. NINTH ST.
Tel. Sunset Main 2530. Home 4850.
All kinds of first-class help promptly furnished; house cleaning day or hour; ranch work by contract.

WANTED—FOR U. S. ARMY; ABLE-BODIED unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 31; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, 113½ N. MAIN ST., Los Angeles.

WANTED JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 502 W. SIXTH ST., NEAR CENTRAL PARK. All kinds help furnished promptly; cooks, waiters, porters, ranch hands, house and window cleaners. Tel. Main 2764; Home 5253.

WANTED—BY MANUFACTURING HOUSE, trusty assistant for branch office, $18 paid weekly; position permanent; no capital required; previous experience not essential. Address BRANCH SUPERINTENDENT, 324 Dearborn, Chicago.

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS WINDOW trimmer for hat and men's furnishings store; salary from $25 to $35 per week, according to ability of applicant; reference required. Address R. box 40, TIMES OFFICE. Permanent position.

WANTED — A FOREMAN CAPABLE OF taking charge of agricultural blacksmith shop in which are manufactured standard lines and job work; a man with experience in this line preferred. Address P. box 29, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TWO HAT AND MEN'S FURNISHING goods salesmen for leading Spring st. store; permanent position and extra good salary to person who thoroughly understands their business. Address P, box 54, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only 6 weeks required; 2 years saved; positions secured when competent; free catalogue. MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, S. F., Cal.

WANTED—RELIABLE MAN WITH SOME "push" to introduce our Ready Pocket Glue, and ink eraser; quick sellers; permanent income for right party. Address ACME CO., 6 Eddy st., San Francisco.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FOR NEWS AND cigar stand, large hotel, Southern California; references. Apply COMMERCIAL INFORMATION BUREAU, 236 Byrne Bldg., Third and Broadway.

WANTED—DRUMMER, PORTER, SALESmen, mechanics, general labor, hotel, office, shop work; men, wife teamsters; others. EDWARD NITTINGER 253½ S. Main.

WANTED—A GOOD ALL-ROUND MAN IN a furniture store, who understands upholstering. Address C. W. HAYWARD, 1022 1024 State st., Santa Barbara.

WANTED—1-HORSE TEAMSTER, STEADY job to haul wood; must understand the care of horses; married preferred. GEO. WATSON, Hesperia, Cal.

WANTED—SALESMEN: BIG INDUCEments handling our goods; exclusive or side line. THE ROCK OIL REFINING CO., Cleveland, O.

WANTED—DETECTIVES. EVERY LOCALity, good salary, experience unnecessary. INTERNATIONAL DETECTIVE AGENCY, Milwaukee, Wis.

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS FINISHER. Call before 9 a.m. CALIFORNIA FURNITURE POLISHER CO. 129 W. Seventh st.

WANTED—SALESMEN; QUICK-SELLING exclusive or side line. CLEVELAND CORE COMPOUND CO., Cleveland, O.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAN TO HANG shades and draperies. LYON-M'KINNEY-SMITH CO., 212 W. Sixth.

WANTED—TWO SALESMEN TO CALL ON family trade. PACIFIC TEA CO., 525 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED — PLASTERERS. APPLY 1324-6 CALUMET ST., Angelena Heights, before 10 a.m. Monday.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS CARPENTER, finisher; must be fast. S. W. RITCHIE, 1314 W. 21st st.

WANTED—PAINTER, $2 PER DAY. CALL 7 a.m. Monday, ready for work. 2538 GLEASON AVE.

WANTED—INEXPERIENCED BELLBOY. Apply 7 at once, 106 N. MAIN ST. Hotel Southern.

WANTED—BRIGHT, ACTIVE BOY, ABOUT 14, with wheel. Permanent. 211 HELLMAN BLDG.

WANTED—COOK FOR RESTAURANT; must be sober. Call 2134½ COMMERCIAL ST.

WANTED—A COMPETENT PRESS BOY AT 201 HELLMAN BLOCK, Second and Broadway.

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL. PACIFIC TEA CO., 525 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—BOY TO LEARN THE DRUG trade. 1069 TEMPLE ST.

WANTED—TWO CARPENTERS AT ONCE. Apply 927 E. 3RD ST.

WANTED—BOY ABOUT 16, 926 TEMPLE ST.

WANTED—Help. Male and Female.

WANTED — LADIES AND GENTLEMEN; light employment; good salary. Call after 9 a.m. Monday, at 1126 MAPLE AVE. 25

WANTED—Help. Female.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS,
Female Department—Ramona Block,
Corner 3rd and Spring—Rooms 22-23,
Phones Main 2306—Home 1073.

Bookkeeper, $60 and fd.; 4 musicians, $30 and fd.; housekeeper, $25; experienced delicacy clerk, $7 and board; women, gen. house work, city, Santa Monica, Redlands, Ocean Park, Chino, $25 and $30; assistants, $15 and $20; nurse for child, $15 and fd.; waitresses, city, beaches, Redlands, Santa Ana, $25 and fd.; waitresses restaurant, $7, $6, $5, 2 meals $1; laundress, hotel, $30 and fd.; 4 body ironers, $9, $10, $12, $14; 6 starch ironers, $10, $14 week; mangle girls; shakers and starchers, $6, $5, $3; 4 janitresses, $25; waitresses, mixed work, $20 and $25; girl hair dressing parlor, $7 week; seamstresses, $1.25, $1.50; factory work, $7, $8, $10; experienced hairdressers, $6; first-class chocolate dipper; 2 pastry women, $20 and $25.

WANTED—THE HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 435 S. Broadway.
Phones Home 3420; Sunset M. 1539.

A girl for general housework, small family, $30; two other good places, $20; one place, 4 in family, $25; 6 others, $25; middle-aged educated woman to care for two children, must understand the management of children; several places to assist, $20 and $15; one place for San Jacinto.

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY AS COMPANion to supply lady's place in the country for few months; located Southern California. COMMERCIAL INFORMATION BUREAU, 236 Byrne Bldg., Third and Broadway.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY CASHIER AND bookkeeper for leading city store; thoroughly respectable position and top salary to person having necessary qualifications; references required. Address P, box 63, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COOK, CITY, $40; WAITRESSES, hotel, $25; restaurant, $6; chamber work, assist; waiting, country, $25; chamber maid, beach, $25; housegirls, city, $25, $20. MISS WEAVER, 240½ S. Broadway. Home 6333.

WANTED — SEAMSTRESS, DOCTOR'S ATtendant, envelope addressers, solicitor, bath attendant, chambermaid, waitress, parlor maid, housework, dressmaker, office work. EDWARD NITTINGER, 253½ S. Main.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS THOROUGHLY experienced up-to-date pastry cook wanted at once; must have best of references. HINMAN CAFE, 317 W. Seventh st.

WANTED—MARRIED WOMEN TO WORK half day in exchange for rent of two rooms, furnished for housekeeping. Ring HOME PHONE 2448, after 8:30 Monday.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY ATTENDING school can have nice room and board for assisting in housework. Address 1709 WEST 23D ST.

WANTED—A NEAT, RELIABLE WOMAN to do general housework and cooking in family of three adults; $25. 805 S. UNION AVE.

WANTED—GIRLS FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, $25, $20; also cook and second girl, 437½ S. BROADWAY, room 20. Monday.

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRL; WAGES $25 per month, room and board. Apply WESTLAKE HOTEL, 729 Westlake ave.

WANTED—BY MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMployment office, 122½ E. Fourth st., for women only. Phone James 5421.

WANTED — FIFTY THOUSAND LADIES to use and sell Dr. Sayman's Toilet Soap. Call at 1207 W. 12TH ST.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OPERATORS on 14 ladies' skirts. Apply at once S. ROSENTHAL, 235 E. Fourth st.

WANTED — WAITRESS EXPERIENCED arm work, wages $9. DALY'S RESTAURANT, 232 Franklin st.

WANTED AT ONCE, EXPERIENCED waitress at the MINNEWASKA CAFE, 209 S. Grand, near Second.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; German preferred. Call at 850 BOYLE HEIGHTS.

WANTED—A GIRL TO WORK ON CUSTom coats; steady work. 254 S. BROADWAY, room 178.

WANTED — COMPETENT LAUNDRESS, Monday and Tuesday forenoons. Call at 1539 SANTEE ST.

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WANTED—ONE LUNCH COUNTER WAITress at 224 S. SPRING.

WANTED—GIRL FOR COOK AND GENeral housework. 1023 WESTLAKE AVE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCE LADIES TAILOR, 612 W. 6T HST., Monday morning.

WANTED—A WOMAN DISHWASHER AT 615 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID AT 244 E. 5TH ST.

WANTED—Situations, Male.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS LADIES' TAILOR (Scotch American,) just arrived from Boston, Mass., would like position with first-class house as cutter and fitter, capable of taking full charge; good recommendations furnished. Address K, box 3, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — JAPANESE, RELIABLE, GOOD cook, who has experience for many years, wants position in small private family; works clean and patiently; city or country; wages $25 up per week. N. S., 647 S. Spring. 'Phone Main 2982.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN OF REFINEment wishes a position; can give best of reference. Apply ROOM 2, 240½ S. Broadway, or phone Home 6833 or Main 974.

WANTED—MAN WITH GOOD HORSE AND light wagon wishes to do delivering, collecting or etc.; first-class references, 754 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED—T. H. MONTGOMERY, PRACTICAL gardener; is now cared for; hedge trimming, budding and pruning. Address R, box 84, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BRIGHT JAPANESE WANTS a position, any kind help, where he can go to the night school. Address K, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN 22; 4 YEARS' EXperience in retail grocery business in wholesale house; can furnish A1 reference. 1129 JASMINE ST.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FIRST - CLASS cook, with many years' experience, wants a position; 631 W. SIXTH ST. 'Phones Home 1078. Main 1714.

WANTED — POSITION AS ASSISTANT book-keeper or general office work by young married man. J. E. B., 706 EARLHAM ST., Pasadena.

WANTED—ACTIVE, ENERGETIC, VERSATile lawyer desires outside business or other management. Address "R.," 438 Custer ave.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG JAPANESE wants a position as valet; has experience. HENRY TAKANO, care 1941½ N. Spring st.

WANTED—BY JAPANESE POSITION AS kitchen help; house work. MOSKIMARN, 516A. W Seventh. Tel. Home 8364.

WANTED — TO COOK FOR SMALL CAMP, restaurant or private family; I do baking. LOUIS, 321 W. Anderson st.

WANTED — BY YOUNG JAPANESE BOY position as schoolboy. OTAKI, 516A. W. Seventh. Tel. Home 8364.

WANTED — A POSITION AS NIGHT watchman; city reference. Address F, box 14, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — NON-UNION PLUMBER AND fitter, can figure work. Address M, box 5, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A JAPANESE BOY WANTS A position milking a cow. Address JOE, 232 E. First st.

WANTED—CARPENTER, PLASTER OR brick work. 3014 E. SIXTH ST., near Mated.

WANTED—Situations, Female.

WANTED—SITUATION BY TWO SWEDISH sisters as cook and second girl; first-class references, $30, $35; also a young French girl and Scotch girl for general housework; city references. 'PHONE 4532, Monday.

FOR EXCHANGE — OR SALE; $225 DUE bill toward $400 piano, leading music house; balance easy payments; $150 cash gets it; or will trade for anything useful of equal value. Address O, box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION IN REFINED American family, good cook, wages $30; Westlake district preferred. Apply personally for 3 days after 2 p.m. at 347 S. HILL ST.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN wants private home cooking or general housework in small family; 1-1 references. PHONE MAIN 974 or HOME 6332.

WANTED — MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN would like position in grocery store; would assist with light housekeeping. ROOM 13, 533½ S. Spring.

WANTED—BY NURSE, EXPERIENCED in care of children, position; care of infant or young children; reference. BOX 173, Covina.

WANTED—A POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPer or lady's maid; only first-class people need apply. Address N, box 79, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADY WANTS TO DO NURSing by day, week or month; at 82 a day. Address MRS. GRANT, 903 S. Main st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG LADY, neat appearing, experienced stenographer; $10 to $12. Address N, box 35, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MISS WEAVER'S EMPLOYment office, 240½ S. Broadway, furnishes reliable help, PHONE MAIN 974 or HOME 6332.

WANTED—Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED — SITUATION B YJAPANESE couple, man as cook and wife as help cook or housework in boarding-house or hotel. 509 W. SIXTH. M. M. Phone Main 3784, Home 5363.

WANTED—Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN WITH SOME capital who will travel, can get in on a good business proposition with steady income. BOX 84, Station C, city.

WANTED—Partners.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED BUILDER would like to hear from party with $35,000 to invest in apartment buildings; 20 per cent. and money back in a year; guaranteed. Address L, box 28, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FREE MILLING GOLD PROPOSitions for cash; lease and bond. Arizona, California preferred. Address L, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER IN MILLING BUSIness; can clear from $25 to $50 per day. Address O, box 87, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—Rooms.

WANTED — TWO FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, close in, must be reasonable, permanent couple. Address O, box 83, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping, west of Broadway; man and wife. Address M, box 82, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—Rooms with Board.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH BEST OF references desires room and board in congenial private family in which there are young folks; permanent if suited; state number in family, location as to car lines, terms, etc. Address L, box 73, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY ATTENDING Normal School wishes room and board in nice refined family, in exchange for light service and companionship. Address L, box 84, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HOME AND GOOD CARE FOR two boys; aged 10 and 12. Address R, box 65, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—Work by the Day.

WANTED—JAPANESE HOUSE CLEANING and outside work, by day or contract. 'Phone Main 2982. 647 S. SPRING.

WANTED—JAPANESE HOUSE-CLEANING CO. Tel. Main 2812. 350 WINSTON ST.

WANTED—To Rent.

WANTED—MODERN COTTAGE OF FOUR or five rooms, with bath; rent not to exceed $15. Address O, box 39, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—To Purchase, Real Estate.

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WANTED—TO PURCHARE IN OR NEAR Pasadena, a first-class home property consisting of from 10 to 40 acres with modern improvements; only an A1 property will be considered, and the price must be low; purchase price all cash. Full particulars from owners only will be considered, and such information will be held strictly confidential. Might pay as high as $50,000 for the right property. Address P, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—I WANT TO BUY A MODERN 6 to 8-room house, will pay cash. I will also buy income property close in, between Central and Figueroa, First and 12th sts. Address N, box 76, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED — I WANT A GOOD HOUSE OR lot in Los Angeles; will pay for it with diamonds. JOHN W. WATSON, suite 822, Trust Bldg. Home 'phone 2736.

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WANTED—LOT FOR FLAT, 50 FEET, Ninth and Central. List. CAMPBELL & CO., 301 Copp Bldg.

WANTED—To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A ROOMING house if price and location suits; your money is ready. Address 2000, MASON OPERA HOUSE, or Tel. Home 1944.

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, HIGHEST price paid for furniture, grocery or merchandise stores, etc. RHOADES & REED, 143 W. Fifth.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND HAND FURniture in any quantity; if you have one piece or a house full we will pay you one-third more than others. 'Phone Main 1117. Home 2154. COLYEAR'S, 322 S. Main.

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WANTED — BOILER MAKERS, SECOND hand; hand rolls and shears. Address R, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SMALL COFFEE MILL, SHOW case of counter. 236 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 'Phone Main 2791.

WANTED — SECOND-HAND CLOTHING shoes, etc.; highest prices. HOME 7730; RED 5041.

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 1103 E. 7TH. 'Phone Black 2151.

WANTED—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE. Home EXCHANGE TWO.

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FOR SALE — IF YOU WANT TO BUILD anything call on ROBT. D. COATES, a practical builder, 743 E. 37th st. Home 8123; Sunset West 688.

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WANTED—SOME ONE TO CARE FOR BABY by 3 months old, terms must be reasonable. Address N, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—USE OF PIANO FOR PRACTICE in residence near Pico and Magnolia. Address C, box 25, TIMES OFFICE.

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TO LET — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED rooms, single or en suite, with or without baths, hot and cold running water in every room; new hotel, new furniture, furnace heat in every room; elevator service, $1 day service; rates very reasonable; hotel under new management. Call at HOTEL CECIL, corner First and Olive sts., Mrs. E. Lyons, Manager. Formerly manager Ontario Hotel, Ontario. Dining-room attached for regular boarders. Also 1 a carte.

TO LET—IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR ELEgant apartments, I have lower floor; 5 rooms, in my residence, all complete for housekeeping; close in, with modern conveniences; 'phone, porch and lawn; only those looking for elegance need apply; must have references. Apply R, box 91, TIMES OFFICE.

TO LET—COSY FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING suites with cooking gas, $3.50 week; also single rooms, gentlemen, $1.25 per week; two minutes to P.O. 771 MAPLE AVE., Silver Maple.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS IN private family; everything modern, new and convenient; quiet and pleasant neighborhood. Apply at 1122 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

TO LET—3 SUNNY UNFURNISHED HOUSE keeping rooms, in cottage with electric light gas for cooking and flue for heating stove also; one room in rear, partly furnished. 722 S. FLOWER.

TO LET—THREE BEAUTIFUL SUNNY UNfurnished house keeping rooms, with all modern conveniences; easy walking distance. 1124½ SOUTH HOPE ST.

TO LET—1625 INGRAHAM ST., 3 NICE sunny front unfurnished rooms for housekeeping, bath, 'phone, $15; also single front furnished room.

TO LET — 2 FURNISHED ROOMS FOR housekeeping, in private family, coal, grate and gas for cooking, separate entrance, 1301 MAPLE AVE.

TO LET—CLEAN, SUNNY ROOM IN WELLkept home; individual kitchen; desirable place for desirable people. 723 W. 8TH. EIGHTH ST.

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TO LET—3 NICE CONVENIENT ROOMS. Furnished for housekeeping. Please call mornings. No children or dogs. 1317 MAPLE AVE.

TO LET—$10; LARGE SUNNY SOUTH room, nicely furnished, electricity, private hall, getting breakfast if wanted. Grand and 16th. Inquire CAMPBELL'S, 329 South Spring.

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TO LET—IN A PRIVATE EASTERN FAMily, furnished suite of rooms with all conveniences. 1040 W. WASHINGTON-ST. car line.

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TO LET — HOW'S THIS? SUNNY FURnished rooms from $6 month; housekeeping suits. ROCHESTER, 1012 Temple.

TO LET—TWO FRONT SUITES, FURNISHed completely for housekeeping, grate, gas for cooking, cheap. 614 W. EIGHTH.

TO LET — IN SUNNY MODERN FLAT, nicely furnished rooms also three unfurnished housekeeping. 933 VALENCIA.

TO LET—2 AND 3-ROOM HOUSEKEEPING apartments, completely furnished, all new and modern. 434 S. FLOWER.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, SINGLE OR en suite for light housekeeping. THE ROCKFORD TERRACE, 112 S. Hope.

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TO LET—$10 MONTH. NICE CLEAN housekeeping suites, with bath, apartment-house. 2826 DOWNEY AVE.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, CENTER OF town; $1.50 per week and up; 25c and 50c per night. 211 W. 3RD ST.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping, close in; bath and telephone. 218 S. FLOWER.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEping, 4 or 5 rooms with bath, gas and electricity. 1316 ORANGE. $20.

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R. M. ADAMS, Secretary.
Los Angeles, Cal., January 11, 1904.

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A large gathering of colored people of this city and of Pasadena congregated at the Azusa-street African Methodist Church yesterday afternoon to honor the memory of their lately-departed friend and advocate, Mrs. Ruth Brown Thompson, the eldest daughter of John Brown, the abolitionist.

The memorial service was under the auspices of the Forum, a club of intelligent colored men from the various colored churches of this city, and its chaplain, Rev. J. E. Edwards, read appropriate scripture selections.

There were addresses and feeling tributes paid to this friend of the negro race by Attorney C. P. Lee, Capt. Crumbly, Rev. E. J. Edwards, and Mrs. Jacobs, president of the Progressive Women's Club. Mrs. Jacobs gave reminiscences of her acquaintance with John Brown and his family when she was a girl, and of her long-continued acquaintance with Mrs. Ruth Brown Thompson.

The congregation sang "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and the Forum Quartette gave vocal selections. J. L. Edmonds and T. A. Green, as a committee on resolutions, presented the following, which was adopted:

"Ruth Brown Thompson, eldest daughter of John Brown, the martyred champion of negro emancipation, is dead. In her pleasant home at Pasadena, surrounded by her loving children, death met her bearing the full sheaves of a well-spent life.

"Her sudden demise brings to mind the sorrows and sacrifices so sublimely sustained by her family in the cause of freedom. Her childhood home was the cradle of a heroic agitation against the sin of slavery; and from it went forth a stalwart spirit to battle against human bondage. At her father's fireside the fugitive slave found that warmth and welcome, that help and hope sanctioned by Holy Writ, and which defied the cruel decrees of corrupt courts.

"She grew to womanhood imbued with the tender compassion for the poor and oppressed of this land, with a desire to help the needy; and go her heart and home were ever open to the unfortunate. Gentle and generous in manner, devout and just by nature, the negro boy or girl struggling to reach a higher plane in life found in her both a sympathetic friend and a staunch supporter. In her death the world has lost a noble-hearted woman, the church an exalted Christian character, her family a kind and affectionate mother, and we a faithful friend, whose good name and deeds shall be long and lovingly cherished in the memory of grateful hearts.

"Resolved, that this testimonial of The Forum's respect and reverence for the late Ruth Brown Thompson, and its deep-felt sorrow and sympathy for the relatives of the deceased, be spread on the minutes of this society, and a copy sent to the bereaved family."

SANTA FE OFFICES.

"The report in the Herald to the effect that the general offices of the Santa Fé coast lines are to move to San Francisco is all hot air," said General Manager A. G. Wells, yesterday afternoon. "You can not put it too strong. There is absolutely nothing in it. It is said that the information comes from an officer of the Santa Fé. I would like to know who that officer is. I do not know him. He is not on the pay roll of the Santa Fé. The big shops of the Santa Fé are located in Southern California and the general offices are located in Los Angeles, and they are going to remain here. The statement is made that Mr. Ripley owns an office building in San Francisco. I have no doubt that Mr. Ripley would like to own an office building in San Francisco, but I am very sure that he does not. We have acquired property on the water front in that city, such as we need for the manipulation of the business of a large city and terminal, part of it is to be used for stock yards, but not for the general offices. We have a terminal superintendent who will look after our interests up there, but the general offices are to remain in Los Angeles. That is all I have to say in regard to that rumor."

DYING FOR A RECREANT.

Mrs. Florence Adler Begs Husband to Come.

Twice Deserted She Prays for Farewell Meeting.

Pleads for "Just One Kiss" Before She Dies.

"Oh, I love him so! I love him so! For thirteen years I almost worshiped him—how can I give him up?"

This is the pitiful, heart-broken query of a woman whose sick soul has almost wrecked a strong body during the last few weeks, and the touching cry goes out day and night to a heedless wretch.

Mrs. Florence Adler, twice deceived and deserted by her husband, still loves him with all her heart, and prays pathetically for at least a farewell meeting. Her own home destroyed, she is trying to recover her physical strength at the little home of J. M. LaGrille, of No. 1611 Palo Alto street. Years ago Mrs. Adler befriended LaGrille when the latter was a little boy, and now he, in turn, and his dainty young wife have taken home his erstwhile benefactress.

Is it better to have loved and lost than never to have loved at all, has often been propounded as a question to many heart-hungry women. But if these same ones, who feel that they have in some way missed the meaning of life, could hear the heart-broken sobs and moans of this woman, they would perhaps rejoice that the "grand passion" had passed them by.

Mrs. Adler was deserted by her husband, Maurice Adler, apparently because he had tired of her. For thirteen years she and Adler lived happily together. The husband seemed truly affectionate, and his wife gave him all the love and devotion of her woman's heart. Prosperity came their way, business was good, and Adler, at his trade as a meat cutter, found plenty of work here in Los Angeles. The man has held positions with several of the leading markets in the city.

Last April Adler gave his wife a lot of smooth talk about rest, recreation and travel, and persuaded her to return to their former home in Hot Springs, Ark., where he would join her as soon as he had saved up a little more ready money. She went.

On April 30 Adler took out a license to wed Mrs. Lizzie Greenlee. He gave the name of Morris Adlin. The ceremony was never performed, although friends of Mrs. Greenlee believed that it was.

The wife had no suspicion of her husband's unfaithfulness. He wrote her frequent letters, whose amorous pages were filled with pet names and expressions of undying constancy. October 1 the tender missives suddenly ceased—as Mrs. Adler afterwards found out. Adlin and his "friend" had gone to Santa Barbara, where they believed themselves safe from discovery, and he had dropped the needless nuisance of letter writing.

After two months of frantic anxiety and apprehension, during which time she tried every means of getting track of her husband, Mrs. Adler came to Los Angeles, arriving here early in December. She had heard nothing that would indicate unfaithfulness and the worst she feared was some discovery of sudden misfortune or perhaps fatal accident.

Suddenly she found the right clue and traced him to Santa Barbara, where a highly-dramatic scene occurred. Confronting Adler and his consort, the wronged wife simply related the story of her sufferings, and, without demanding anything, simply asked them what they were going to do. Adler, probably through cowardice, weakened greatly, and finally, with a flood of crocodile tears and feigned emotion, took his injured wife in his arms, told the other woman that he had deceived her, and that he felt it his desire and duty to establish again the ruined altars of his broken home.

Mrs. Adler's affection for the creature who had been her husband so long, overcame all fear, and she forgot and granted unquestioning forgiveness. He fondly cooed that his heart had been true to his wife all the while. Mrs. Greenlee left at once for Los Angeles, and the Adlers, upon whom peace seemed again about to settle, went to housekeeping in Santa Barbara.

There were evidences soon that the infatuation for Mrs. Greenlee still held Adler, and the faithful wife's love and devotion were lavished on him in vain. After a few weeks he asked her again to go East, saying that he would follow her soon. He declared that he would never come to Los Angeles or see Mrs. Greenlee again. There were flaws in his tender speech, however, which did not escape the opening eyes of his wife, and instead of going to Arkansas, as she evidently intended, she switched off in Santa Barbara. Before she left for the train the big calf upon whom her affection was lavished groveled and cried, shedding more saurian tears, and telling her that it almost broke his heart to be parted from her for such a little while.

Getting off at the lower depot, Mrs. Adler went back to her roominghouse, where the landlady concealed her. She vowed to herself that if her husband should go anywhere except to Los Angeles she would resume her journey and try to trust him.

Two days later he left for this city. She followed him. Two days after her arrival here, she, standing on one side of Broadway, saw Adler pass with Mrs. Greenlee. While the sight only confirmed her fears, it was such a shock that she fell fainting to the pavement, where kindly hands picked her up and carried her to a room at the lodging-house. She has a chronic trouble, which has been aggravated by this sorrow.

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treasurer. Mr. Mark, personal liability, has already his amount in the county was attached the bank and the appointment of Ben. F. custodian. The banking Sandoval & Co. and the which have placed subdepents for $30,000 each. president, John Dessart, depositors will be paid in full will turn over every cent of personal property, if necessappears to be slight bank's assets will prove the demands of the creditors the paper held is poor, but rumors that the concern mining in mining stocks. Mining and Milling Company president Dessart for $4,000 alleged to have been illegal him, as well as for a damages. The company court's action in throwing the market at any price to cut the price down to cents on the figure at which selling. Dessart's answer the annulment of the certificates of incorporation, his the District Court of Maricopa setting forth that the certificates of incorporation had legally published, and that Arizona agent had not been

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The smelter and sampling works at Arizona Gold and Copper Company, Patagonia have been attached by employés of the mining company. Douglass will become a separate postoffice July 1, with an income approximating $11,000. A movement on foot to establish free delivery as soon as possible after that date through mail car service established on the El Paso & Western Railroad between El Paso and Benson.

A branch of the Young Men's Christian Association will be established in Benson. J. S. Bayless has been elected president of the preliminary organization, and Allan B. Jaynes secretary. A $5,000 building will probably be erected during the year.

COUNTRY CLUB FOR TUCSON.

A country club has been organized in Tucson, an option secured on the tract of land back of the water works, upon it will be erected a club building and golf links laid out. The Sisters of St. Joseph will establish an orphanage in Tucson. They will furnish mission style buildings and have erected.

Benson is to have a gas-lighting plant and an ice factory.

Col. Francisco Peinado, commanding the Fifth Regiment of Cavalry, Mexican army, lately accidentally shot himself through the jaw while cleaning a revolver. His jaw was broken, his tongue almost severed. Peinado has been a conspicuous figure in wars with the Yaquis during ten years.

Prof. B. F. Stacey of the University of Arizona has received a call to the University of the Pacific at Stockton to fill the chair of history and economics that is to be vacated soon by Hale Adams, late president of the University of Arizona, who will accept a professorship in the University of California.

UN FOR CROWD OF GIRLS DOWN AT SHAM BATTLE.

...LIGHTED lady, who in... sitting on a turned-up ... in the middle of the ...battlefield, took away some... the savageness of the militia ... at Long Beach yesterday. ... of war between Russia ... the Czar and the Mikado ... well to see that the battle... carefully roped beforehand, ... by ticket only.

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But the railroad took in 15,000 fares, coming and going.

It was the real thing in soldiering, even down to embalmed beef.

The pet bulldog of Co. D, "Sergeant Sam," said what he thought about embalmed beef.

Sam came forth with unction and enthusiasm at mess call. They had to hold him back with a rope.

One of the soldiers hospitably thrust a big can of the beef under his muzzle.

Sam smelled it with a start and a snort of indignant protest. On being urged by his hosts, he gave one look of hurt reproach, lowered his tail between his legs and sneaked out of sight into the crowd.

When, later, a frisky setter dog came into camp on a ribbon, Sam looked at him with a momentary bristle, but his spirit was daunted and he had not even interest enough left in life to run out and chew his ear off.

The battle failed as a spectacle, because the point of the maneuvers was see of it were the back seams in other people's coats.

The infantry columns wriggled through the mob after the review and disappeared. The camp was left to the cavalry and the sailors, swaggering fellows, with their picturesque sea blouses.

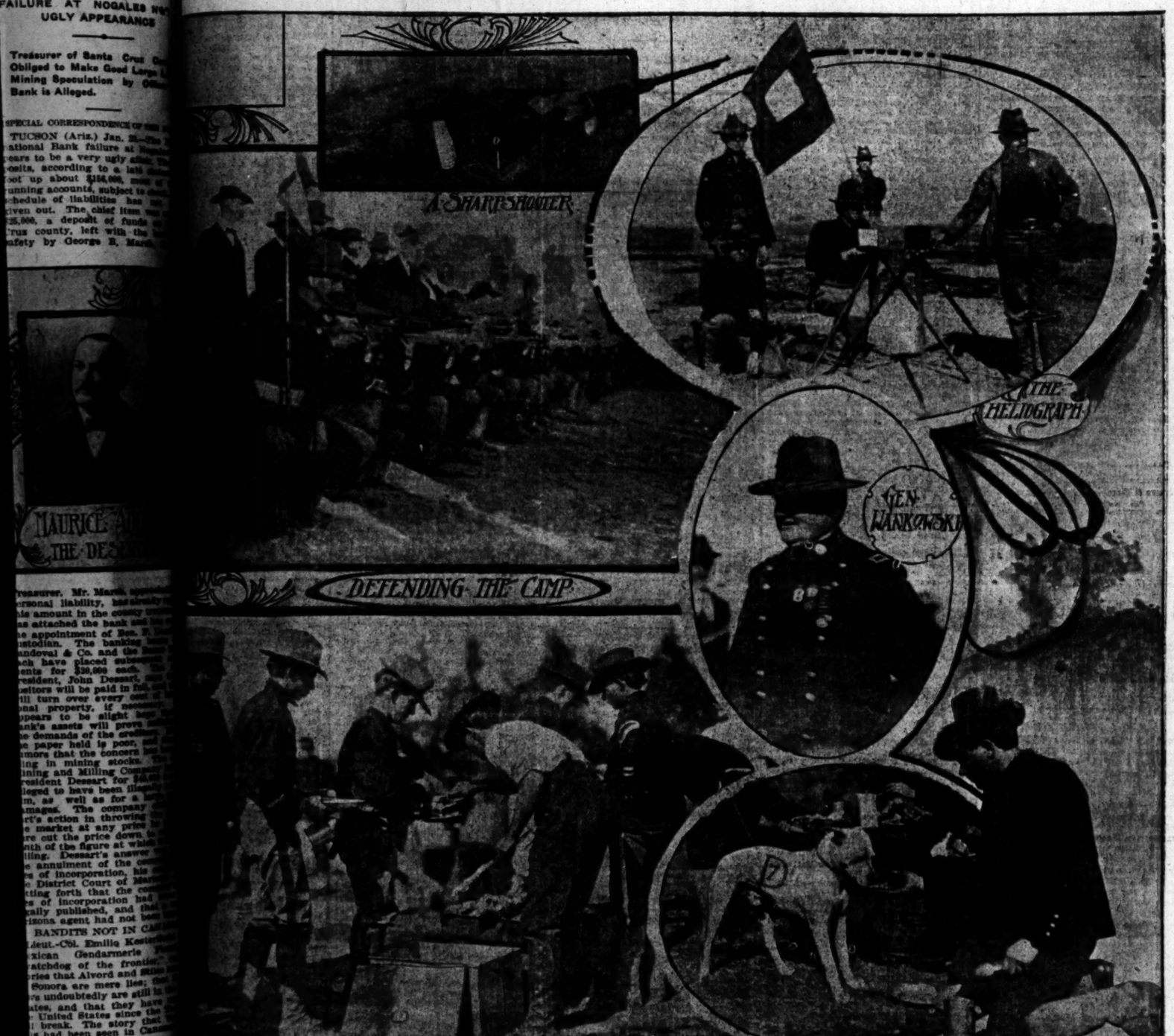
The cavalrymen fairly pleaded with the people to go back across the dip to the hill beyond and leave the ground clear. They did—for a few minutes, but came trooping back.

The first thing that happened in the battle was far off to the south, where some skirmishers appeared for a moment and then faded away.

The troop at this went swinging out of the camp at a double in column of fours with gleaming cartridge belts—then vanished.

More skirmishers. A few shots. A sudden rush of a whole skirmish line among the hummocks.

Then came the vicious "pank," that told of "Krag Jorgenson" somewhere concealed. The troop had found a "blind."



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to conceal the troops as much as possible instead of displaying them.

Troop D, under command of Lieut. Jonas, and the Engineer Division of the Naval Reserve (Lieut. Costerson) undertook to defend a camp about a mile and a half north of Long Beach from the attacks of Cos. A, C, I and D, under Capt. Cole, the acting battalion commander. Cole also had the Signal Corps, commanded by Capt. Lovett.

The signaling was the prettiest feature.

Half the time the troops were not to be seen at all; but from a brown knoll beyond the sheep camp came the snarp flash of a heliograph answering the heliograph at Capt. Cole's headquarters on the opposite side of the camp, lost among the rolling hummocks of the ocean side.

On the third side, toward the ocean, was a flag station, and the scarlet flag dot stood out against the blue.

It is probably the last time that the Signal Corps will be signaling with the Meyers code the flashes that went over this camp. The orders have come to change back to the dot and dash of the Morse, the Meyers code having given way in the navy to the semaphore.

Part of the troops had laid in camp all night in shivering cold, and more came down yesterday morning. The day opened with company drills and other camp routine.

The first that the great crowd of people saw was a review tendered Brig.-Gen. Wankowski, an official visitor, with a part of his new staff.

This was not impressive, either.

The troops were almost mobbed by the crowd. Before the review could be presented to the general, Capt. Cole had to throw two companies out across the parade ground in line of skirmishers to force the people back.

It was presumably a correct review; about all that most of the crowd could

Another rush of the skirmishers! As though by a sudden impulse, the line reared itself up with a roar of firing and the hellograph began biting out the flashes. "Pank-pank-pankety-pank-pank!" the Krags of the cavalry began answering the heavier bark of the Springfields.

It was a ruse to draw the cavalry fire, for from the line of palms by the ocean a thin blue line came swarming like belated ants down the hill, dropping and rising to rush again.

Then everything melted away and nothing could be seen but the brown hills.

Then a new sound. From the rear of the camp the muffled roar of firing, the heavy roar of the [illegible] calibers—Lees and Springfields. The naval reserve had been attacked at the rear of the camp by Co. A, which had made the detour.

The fence disgorged the troop, which slowly retreated into camp, where it was annihilated.

Meanwhile the sailors were having it out with Co. A by the hill.

With a yell, the long infantry line dashed over slaughtered Troop D and chased the sailors up the hill, where they surrendered.

The whole day came to an end with a shout, as Cole ordered the charge, and the men raced across the puddling creek and up the hill.

The battle was given as a treat by the Pacific Electric Railroad, the details being arranged by H. F. Stewart, the passenger agent. The road supplied ammunition, food, transportation to soldiers. Several thousand people were thus enabled to come to Long Beach to see the fine sight—at the usual price of transportation over the company's lines.

Co. D of Pomona came all the way to the scene at its own expense, and made a fine showing.

Co. F of Los Angeles refused to come for some reason.

CORONADO BEACH.

MANY GUESTS AT HOTEL.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Jan. 24.—Arrivals at the hotel include Rev. C. C. Tiffeny, New York; Mrs. L. Charest, Manchester, N. H.; Mrs. E. F. Freeman, Miss M. A. Freeman, Washington; Miss N. R. Gardner, Mrs. J. M. Potter, Providence; Mr. and Mrs. Davie Henry, Rockaway, N. J.; Miss M. E. Gibbs, Mrs. A. V. Shannon, Lee, Mass.; Mrs. L. C. Carter, Newtonville; Mrs. H. O. Thomas, Brockton; C. W. Smith, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Erback, Homestead, Pa.; Mrs. C. W. Cook, Alexander, Pa.; Mrs. S. E. Easton, New York; Mrs. S. A. Caldwell, Delaware City, Del.; Mrs. S. R. Bailey, Smyrna, Del; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McLane, North Reading, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. O. Foss, Center Barnstead, N. H.; John Simmott, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Steiss, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Case, Miss Carrol M. Case, Highland Park, Chicago; Mrs. S. H. Ripley, Staten Island; Hugh Kinard, Newark, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Lenix X. Rose, Madison, N. J.; Mrs. F. W. Gilchrist, Miss E. M. Farrell, Ansonia, Vt.; Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rust, Miss Katherine Rust, Miss H. Hill, Saginaw, Mich; Mrs. William Fleming, Mrs. J. C. Fleming, West Newton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Fenton entertained at dinner Friday evening in honor of Commander Booth Tucker of the Salvation Army; also Col. French Sedam and Alvin B. Daniels, have returned from a successful hunting expedition in Lower California.

Easterners at the hotel include Samuel Atwater of the firm of Atwater & Carter, Newark, N. J., and W. V. Snyder of W. V. Snyder & Co. of the same place.

Mrs. B. Morton, Master B. Morton and Miss Helen Wagner of San Francisco have taken apartments at the hotel.

Miss Ada Smith entertained at luncheon yesterday for Miss Florence Rockwood of Elmhurst, Ill., and Miss L. D. Drummond of East Orange, N. J.

ALMOST BLED TO HIS DEATH.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT WITH VERY PAINFUL RESULT.

Sliver from Wheel Driven Into Young Man's Groin—Buggy Wrecked Against a Tree in Steep Cut on Downey Avenue.

Walter Brian, a baker of No. 123 South Grifith avenue, was thrown from a buggy at Downey avenue and Prich-

ard street about 6 o'clock last evening and seriously, though perhaps not fatally injured.

Brian was driving alone in a buggy through a steep cut at the east end of Downey avenue, when his horse became frightened and started to run. At the corner of Prichard street the animal swerved into a tree and wrecked the buggy, throwing Brian out and rendering him unconscious. One of the wheel spokes was splintered and a large sliver was driven in the young man's groin, making an ugly and dangerous wound. An artery was severed and he came near bleeding to death before a physician could be secured.

H. P. Brian, the father of the injured man, was sent for and removed his son to his home, where his injuries were attended by Dr. Steddom. Later his condition was so serious that he was removed to the Good Samaritan Hospital.

Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. Robert J. Burdette spoke at the Sunday afternoon vesper service of the Young Women's Christian Association to a very large audience of women upon the subject, "Service and Sacrifice. "The progress of the world is hindered by the non-workers in the upper and lower stratas of society," she said. "We must all serve, and service is necessary to growth and development. The greatest service to the world, that of Calvary, was accompanied by the greatest sacrifice. The one service which every person can render to the one standing next her, for there is no person, no matter what the station in life, who does not need it, and whose heart does not hunger for it. It does not need the spoken word, not even the comman language." The speaker illustrated this thought by incidents of service rendered her by women in Cana of Galilee and in Damascus.

NO FAITH CURE

About Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

They Cure Stomach Troubles and Indigestion, Anyway, Whether You Have Faith in Them or Not.

All physicians agree that the element of faith has a great deal to do in the cure of disease.

Firm belief and confidence in a family physician or the same confidence or faith in a patent medicine have produced remarkable cures in all ages.

This is especially true in nervous troubles, and no field offers so prolific a harvest for the quack and charlatan as the diseases arising from a weak or run down nervous system.

Nevertheless, the most common of all diseases, indigestion and stomach troubles, which in turn cause nervous diseases, heart trouble, consumption, and loss of flesh, requires something beside faith to cure.

Mere faith will not digest your food for you, will not give you an appetite, will not increase your flesh and strengthen your nerves and heart, but Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will do these things, because they are composed of the elements of digestion; they contain the juices, acids and peptones necessary to the digestion and assimilation of all wholesome food.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest food if placed in a jar or bottle in water heated to 98 degrees, and they will do it much more effectively when taken into the stomach after meals, whether you have faith that they will or not.

They invigorate the stomach, make pure blood and strong nerves in the only way that nature can do it, and that is from plenty of wholesome food well digested. It is not what we eat, but what we digest that does us good.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents for full sized package.

Little book on cause and cure of stomach troubles mailed free by addressing F. A. Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

ONLY ONE WAY

TO PURIFY THE BLOOD, INCREASE FLESH AND STRENGTH AND TO CURE INDIGESTION.

SECRET PATENT MEDICINES WILL NOT DO IT.

There Is a Simpler and Better Way.

There is only one way to purify the blood, only one way to increase flesh, and that is through the stomach and digestive organs. Why? Because the stomach and digestive organs make blood and flesh, bone, nerves and sinew. Did you ever see a person blessed with a healthy, vigorous stomach and digestion who had impure blood, muddy, sallow complexion, or who had weak nerves, sleepless nights and the thousand and one pains and aches arising from poor digestion? No, because perfect digestion converts the food eaten into pure blood, strong nerves, and muscles, and all the flesh a person needs to have for health, symmetry and beauty.

Every person knows whether or not his or her digestion is what it should be, but every person does not know what is the safest and best way to secure and preserve a healthy condition of the digestive organs. It is not done by the use of any wonderful secret patent medicine, but by the use of certain harmless digestive principles, which, taken at meals, will digest the food anyway, regardless of the weak condition of the stomach.

Dr. Brooks recommends a combination of vegetable essences, fruit salts, pure aseptic pepsin, and Golden Seal, prepared in convenient tablet form, and sold by druggists everywhere under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

These pleasant tasting tablets are to be dissolved in the mouth after each meal, and, mingling in the food in the stomach, digest it perfectly. There is nothing wonderful about this. Any physician or chemist knows that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will do this because repeatedly tested and proved, and thousands of cured dyspeptics have found it to be true a so.

Dr. Harlandson states that these tablets increase flesh because they digest flesh-forming foods like eggs, meat, and ordinary everyday food; for the same reason they purify the blood and strengthen weak nerves. In no other way can it be done, because flesh, blood, and nerves are obtained from the food we eat.

Dr. Jennison once stated that he believed a 50-cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets would give more real benefit than fifty dollars' worth of ordinary doctor's fees.

These tablets may be found at any drug store.

HEART DISEASE.

SOME FACTS REGARDING THE RAPID INCREASE OF HEART TROUBLES.

Do Not Be Alarmed, but Look for the Cause.

Heart troubles, at least among Americans, are certainly increasing, and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

Real, organic heart disease is incurable; but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by branches of the same great nerves, the Sympathetic and the Pneumogastric.

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SPORTS TALK ABOUT ASCOT.

NEW OWNERS PROMISE HIGH RACING STANDARD.

Hints of Cinch Books but No One Buys Stock in Any Such Possibility—Judges Set Down Jockey About Whom There is Suspicion.

The news of the passing of the control of Ascot Park to the hands of other than Tom Williams of San Francisco, the details of which were noted in The Times on Friday, is the principal topic of conversation among the horsemen all over the Coast and guesses more or less wild are made as to the future of the track under different owners. Any kind of conjecture may or may not be true and those who like horse racing must bide their time and await developments.

It is rumored that Williams did actually make an offer for a controlling interest in the stock of the Los Angeles Jockey Club and it would doubtless have been accepted had Williams been able to give any assurance that the track would not be closed. This was of vital interest to the street railway people, for considerable money has been spent in trackage and other improvements in the southern part of the city and this would be rendered useless in a way if racing was stopped at Ascot Park. It is believed in some quarters, however, that Williams's offer would have been accepted had not George Rose and Thomas Fitzgerald decided to invest in the property.

The new owners promise that no changes in the conduct of the plant are intended during this season at least and with this assurance the sporting public will have to content itself. It has been darkly hinted that later on "syndicate book" may be in order; but if the new owners are wise they will avoid this forever because such a system at Ascot would kill the game. As a matter of fact the odds posted by the different bookmakers are so nearly the same that one might be led to suppose that a "skindicate" book ruled the ring; but this is not so, for any one can cut in that has the price. There is enough competition to keep the prices at a satisfying price and as long as the present conditions are not changed no complaints will be made.

The new owners have stated that from time to time they will introduce features that will tend to make the track and the game more popular, one of these for instance being races for gentlemen riders. Other things will suggest themselves as the season advances.

SPORT IS BETTER.

The sport during the past week has been up to the average and it might be said that on the whole it was better than during the previous weeks. Nothing startling occurred and little out of the ordinary except the indefinite suspension of Jockey McMahon who did not try to win with the horse Poorlands in the jumping race on Saturday. It is hinted that the race was "thrown" and that McMahon was guilty of similar tactics on the tracks at San Francisco, the hurdle racing being finally killed owing to the action or inaction, rather, of a number of riders. No wonderful time has been made, for fast going cannot be expected until a rainstorm packs down the track.

TODAY'S RACES.

This will be ladies' day at Ascot Park and the card is as follows:

First race, five furlongs, selling: *5817 Phys, 106; *5817 AAgnes Mack, 106; *5807 Scepter, 108; *5768 Nellie May, 110; 5807 Athelrose, 111; *5796 J. V. Kirby, 112; 5364 Sir Hugh, 113; 5782 Minnie Arnett, 112; 5809 Clarean, 115; 5809 Tower of Candles, 115; 5800 Cardwellton, 116; 5782 MacFlecknoe, 117; 5780 Jack Richelieu, Jr., 117; 5833 The Covenanter, 117; 5720 Sharpless, 120.

Second race, Slauson course, selling: *5820 Columbia Girl, 98; 5415 Samar, 103; 5698 Matronia, 103; 5784 Lady Belair, 103; 5814 Negruscca, 103; *5760 Ocyrroe, 103; *5820 Lady Fonso, 104; *5820 Mirl, 104; 5754 Pat Hammon, 105; *5769 Quest, 106; *5793 Huapala, 107; *(5820) Fox Lake, 109; 5808 Dargin, 114.

Third race, one and a sixteenth miles, selling: *5785 Dotterel, 96; *5797 Martin Brady, 97; *5821 Merwan, 97; *5657 El Fonso, 102; *5821 Invictus, 102; 5797 Farmer Jim 105; *5821 Lunar, 105; 5833 Walmar, 110; 5749 Wachusett, 100; 5794 Paddy B., 104; *5828 Galanthus, 105; (5748) Little Margaret, 105; *(5778) Evander, 105; 5660 Quidado, 107; 5822 Buccleuth, 110; 5742 Milas, 113.

*Apprentice allowance.

FAVORITES FADE AWAY.

Form players have had several severe jolts at Ascot the past week, for out of thirty-six races the favorites have landed just a fraction more than one-third of the number. This is a big falling-off from the previous week and shows that some of the heretofore despised beasts are doing better. Just how the favorites, medium-priced horses and outsiders have finished can be understood from the following rough table:

Favorites	13	10	0
Mediums	17	12	22
Outsiders	4	12	8

HOW JOCKEYS RIDE.

The work of the various leading jockeys for the past week has been as follows:

Name.	Mounts.	1.	2.	3.
Redfern	13	7	1	4
Booker	20	8	6	3
E. Walsh	21	10	6	2
Boland	10	4	2	1
Lewis	12	1	1	2
Buxton	18	4	2	3
Birkenruth	3	0	0	1
Pryor	9	1	0	0
Phillips	11	0	1	0
Adams	7	0	0	2
Welch	6	2	0	0
Robertson	5	1	1	1
W. Knapp	7	2	0	1
Anderson	14	0	3	4
Sinnott	6	0	0	2
Waterbury	6	1	0	0
Fletcher	6	0	1	0
J. Reiff	2	0	1	0

SAN MATEO POLO.

EZRA DOES GOOD WORK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Poloists wearing the white colors defeated the men in red on F. J. Carolan's Crossways farm field at San Mateo today by a score of 7 to 1. There were six periods of ten minutes each. The victorious whites were Peter Martin, Thomas A. Driscoll, E. E. Ezra and Mr. McNaughton. The reds were F. J. Carolan, Charles Dunphy, Walter McCreery and John Lawson. Cyril Tobin, umpire; J. O. Tobin, Jr., timekeeper.

The game was not as brisk as usual, but there were some very spirited contests and some fine individual plays by Driscoll and Ezra in particular. On these different occasions Driscoll isolated the ball from amidst the struggling group and carried it successfully and unassisted across half the field to goal. Peter Martin played his first match of the season today, as did also Mr. McNaughton, a Scot who came over for the polo season. Everyone is looking forward to the Del Monte and Burlingame tournaments to come off next month and until them there will be no notable matches here.

BOWLERS DO BETTER WORK.

THE INTERURBAN PLAYERS ARE RAISING AVERAGES.

Monarch Alleys Will Begin Play Tomorrow Night on Leap Year Games—Many Matches Set for This Week—Local High Scores.

Play in the Interurban League the past week has been above the average, and many of the players are beginning to show just what they can do.

The Tuxedo team has increased its lead by 200 pins, which was partly due to their high game of 2805 during the week. The Sporting News team is still in third place, notwithstanding the fact that it has the peculiar honor of having won every one of its matches. Capt. Lustig of the Tuxedos will wear the high-average medal this week for his average of 211 1-3. Other high averages are: Hollen, 205 2-3, and McChesney, 203 1-3, both members of the Sporting News team. The team-standing and individual averages to date are as follows:

TEAM STANDING.

Team.	Pins.
Tuxedo	41,904
Pasadena	41,583
Sporting News	41,181
Ocean Park	38,560
Reliance	38,402
Crescents	37,436
Santa Fé	37,411
San Pedro	35,193

INDIVIDUAL STANDING.

Name and Team.	Average.
Lustig, Tuxedo	187 15-48
Bixler, Tuxedo	181 39-48
Oldfield, Pasadena	176 33-48
Hollen, Sporting News	176 17-48
Wilson, Sporting News	175 41-48
Legge, Pasadena	173 11-48
Payne, Pasadena	172 16-48
Jacobs, Tuxedo	172 12-48
Craig, Tuxedo	172 33-33
Tufford, Sporting News	171 5-15
Bowron, Reliance	171 15-48
Becker, Pasadena	171 6-18
Pepper, Sporting News	170 40-48
Valenzuela, Ocean Park	168 39-48
Newburn, Santa Fé	167 15-33
Noris, Ocean Park	166 21-48
Parkes, Crescents	164 22-33
Hungerford, Reliance	164 12-33
Graves, Santa Fé	164 21-47
Reed, Sporting News	162 12-33
Willis, Reliance	162 5-48
Chapelle, Tuxedo	160 30-33

LEAP-YEAR TOURNEY.

The Monarch alleys will start a novel Leap-Year Tournament tomorrow night in doubles for ladies and gentlemen, the ladies to have the privilege of choosing their partners. There will be no entrance fee and the first prize will be two gold medals for the winning couple. The following coupies have entered: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. M. Quirk of Chicago, Mr. Lustig and Mrs. Bates, C. D. Tufford and Mrs. Porter, D. S. Parkes and Mrs. T. Mack, J. Bowron and Mrs. Knox, Alf. McKenzie and Mrs. H. C. Scott.

B. Hershey and H. E. Willis had a very interesting session at cocked hat on the Monarch alleys last week for a money consideration, Willis won by eleven pins, the scores for five games being as follows:

Willis	39	33	41	42	38
Hershey	38	32	37	32	42

TABLES TURNED.

Several weeks ago Al. Craig and James Bowron defeated L. E. Taylor and Alf. McKenzie at ten pins at the Monarch alleys. The latter part of last week the same players happened into the alleys about the same time, and a return match for $20 a side was immediately started. The McKenzie-Taylor team won this time by 109 pins, the scores being as follows:

	1.	2.	3.	Total.
Mackenzie	170	190	214	574
Taylor	169	176	175	520
Totals pins, 1094.				
Craig	162	145	165	472
Bowron	175	180	194	549
Total pins, 1021.				

Mrs. Bates and Mrs. Scott bowled five good games at ten pins on the Monarch alleys last Thursday. Mrs. Scott made 227 in her first game, and thus established a new record for the ladies' ten pins at the Monarch. Both ladies are in training for the doubles tournament that begins tomorrow night. The scores they made in their match follow:

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	Total.
Mrs. Scott	227	161	142	188	179	896
Mrs. Bates	178	136	171	191	174	849

MATCHES THIS WEEK.

Monday—Santa Fé and Crescent.

Tuesday—Sporting News and Ocean Park.

Ladies' and gentlemen's doubles tournament.

Wednesday—Rushers and B.B.C.

Thursday—Reliance and Crescent.

Friday—Santa Fé and Pasadena.

HIGH SCORES.

High scores on the leading alleys last week were as follows:

MONARCH ALLEYS.

Tenpins—B. Lustig, 12, 211, 204, 205, 202, 214, 203, 211, 206, 202, 209; Frank Mellus, 200, 206; J. Bettinger, 206; Alf. McKenzie, 215, 201, 201, 205, 220, 212, 214, 214, 214, 207, 205, 218; H. E. Willis, 207; J. Bowron, 203, 216, 202, 235, 215, 226, 206, 217, 213, 225, 210, 216, 224, 225, 202, 212, 225; J. Pearne, 212, 214, 243; Ed Holden, 221, 202, 267; R. Hubbell, 211, 213, 203; F. Wilson, 201; Ed Craig, 204; Sam Crolle, 202, 216; H. W. Legge, 206, 207, 255, 206, 229; Oscar Parlier, 211, 206, 234; R. H. Holmes, 214; F. W. Samuelson, 205; Ed Salyer, 205; W. H. Stymest, 226; J. H. Chick, 267, 212; J. W. Wilson, 204; Al Craig, 222; L. E. Taylor, 202, 200, 224, 206, 209, 206; Darling, 224; F. L. Flick, 204, 201; George Zarnes, 219; J. E. Salyer, 201; Mrs. H. C. Scott, 227; Charles Costello, 213; R. C. Garland, 204; W. T. Tupper, 216, 207, 208, 204.

Morley's—Salyer, 214; Tyler, 213; Thor, 221, 212, 217, 215, 201, 203; Williams, 233; Dee, 221, 223; Clark, 210; Dubois, 211; Lakin, 214; Russell, 202, 200; Heap, 219, 210, 203, 210, 230, 210, 223; Bertelson, 201; Gilman, 217, 201, 204; Simpson, 201; Lacey, 242, 204; Desinger, 211, 206; Meyers, 202; Dugan, 209; McKay, 215; Chaffee, 210, 218, 226; Ottman, 209, Shave, 204, 215; Thorpe, 224.

Rubber-neck—Frank Mellus, 114; L. E. Taylor, 107, 208, 161, 110; J. Menard, 102; J. Benfer, 120, 105, 122; B. Hershey, 112, 107, 104, 107, 120, 137, 101, 104; F. W. Samuelson, 110, 109, 108, 113, 102, 104, 113, 117, 107, 107; A. Ebitt, 109, 103, 101; H. E. Willis, 100, 110, 103, 114, 103, 124, 104; W. Phillips, 114; E. J. McCoye 111; H. W. Legge, 126, 103, 103; B. Lustig, 100, 105, 103, 100; O. Harris, 106; Dr. W. R. Holladay, 116, 105, 104, 103, 137, 101, 115; C. W. Phillips, 109, 105, 103, 107, 106, 102; J. Bowron, 113, 126, 104; Alf Mackenzie, 110, 101.

BOWLING GAMES.

EUGENES WIN EASILY.

The Eugenes of San Francisco walloped the All Stars of this city good and hard Saturday night at Morley's alleys in the third series of five games for the Coast championship, the scores being 4259 and 4680. The locals did not do themselves justice at any stage of the proceedings and were altogether to the bad. About 200 people were present to see the sport. The local team won the first ten games by a margin of 115 pins and lost Saturday night by 421 pins so the Eugenes were 309 pins to the good after that match.

The scores Saturday night were as follows:

LOS ANGELES.

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
Drainger	176	159	191	188	187
Dee	193	164	154	159	171
Gilman	182	204	192	145	159
Lacey	188	165	204	189	154
Simpson	157	179	154	178	190
Totals	871	843	895	859	833

EUGENES.

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
Russell	200	171	165	189	182
Leap	197	224	168	197	171
Thorp	197	224	168	197	177
Shave	218	170	204	192	188
Bertelson	172	164	185	162	172
Totals	1007	964	875	941	893

TRI-SCHEDULE.

PLAY BEGINS TUESDAY.

The Class B trio tournament schedule for three weeks is as follows:

MORLEY'S.

January 26—Belmonts vs. Stripes.
January 28—Electrics vs. Stars.
February 1—B.B.C. Co.'s vs. Coliseums.
February 4—Eagles vs. Amateurs.
February 9—Westerns vs. Stripes.
February 11—Erratics vs. Stars.
February 15—Eagles vs. Coliseums.
February 19—Electrics vs. Amateurs.

BELMONTS.

January 26—B.B.C. Co.'s vs. Westerns.
January 29—Coliseums vs. Belmonts.
February 2—Stars vs. Westerns.
February 5—Stripes vs. Belmonts.
February 11—B.B.C. Co.'s vs. Electrics.
January 12—Coliseums vs. Westerns.
February 15—Stars vs. Belmonts.
February 19—Sunnyside vs. B.B.C. Co.'s.

SUNNYSIDE.

January 27—Stripes vs. Eagles.
January 29—Amateurs vs. Erratics.
February 1—Belmonts vs. Sunnyside.
February 5—Electrics vs. Erratics.
February 9—Amateurs vs. Sunnyside.
February 11—Belmonts vs. Eagles.
February 17—Westerns vs. Erratics.
February 18—Stripes vs. Sunnysides.

LOCALS LOSE FIVE.

The Eugenes easily clinched the championship last night at Morley's in the final five games with the All Stars by beating them five straight games and 314 pins. These added to the lead of 309 obtained Saturday night put the visitors to the good by 623 pins. The locals were to the bad again last night Dysinger being the only one to roll anything like his usual form. The scores last night were as follows:

LOS ANGELES.

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
Platt ....F	167	189	191	145	16
Dysinger	202	217	170	192	17
Gilman	180	167	162	182	16
Simpson	173	156	160	196	19
Lacey	210	183	165	153	19
Totals	934	932	853	868	84
Total pins, 4420.					

EUGENES.

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
Russell	181	178	204	190	20
Leap	206	168	179	165	22
Thorpe	162	224	168	199	20
Shave	225	197	164	178	19
Bertelsen	200	197	182	146	17
Totals	1002	988	897	877	100
Total pins, 4764.					

LOS ANGELES WINS.

SAINTS MADE BAD ERRORS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One costly error by the locals, which let in two runs, gave the ball game to Los Angeles today by a score of 4 to 2. The game was replete with brilliant doubles, and few errors were made by either side. Brashear was in the box for the visitors and pitched a creditable game, although he was very wild at times. McKay pitched a faultless game for the Saints, and held the heavy hitters down to six scattered hits. The game was practically won in the sixth when Hardy dropped a fly in left with two men gone, letting in two runs.

Summary—Los Angeles: Runs, 4; hits, 6; errors, 1. Santa Barbara: Runs, 2; hits, 2; errors, 3. Batteries, Brashear and Mangerina, McKay and Wilkinson. Two-base hits, Jud Smith, Hardy. First base on errors, Los Angeles 2, Santa Barbara 1. Left on bases, Los Angeles 5, Santa Barbara 6. Bases on balls, off Brashear 6, off McKay 2. Struck out, by Brahsear 4, by McKay 4. Double plays, Hall to Raymer to Newton; Brashear to Mangerina to Newton; Raymer to Hall to Newton; McKay to Wilkinson to Clark; Hardy to Clark. Hit by pitched ball, Hardy. Passed balls, Wilkinson. Time of game, 1:40. Umpire, Hall.

HURST QUITS BASEBALL.

MAY RETURN LATER ON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Tim Hurst, known to baseball fans wherever the game is played, has held the counte for the last time. He has arranged to go into business in New York. President J. Ed Grillo of the American association has been dickering with Hurst for some time, and thought his chances of securing the umpire were good. He will have first call on Tim's services if the umpire decides to return. Whether Hurst will be induced to act as referee for prize fights in the future remains to be seen. Probably his business would not prevent his acting in that capacity occasionally.

MINOR BASEBALL.

The Tropico nine beat the Hamburgers of this city at Tropico yesterday by a score of 5 to 3. The feature was the good work of Pitcher Jones of the Tropico club.

The Hughes Bros. team defeated the Tufts-Lyon Club at Chutes Park yesterday by the close score of 3 to 2. The batteries were Bresino and LeBrand and Hemus and F. Barros.

The Bishop team went to Hynes yesterday and beat the club of that settlement by a score of 10 to 4. The winners had all the best of it from the start and their pitcher Gabe held the enemy down to four hits.

Fisher Signs Lynch.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—Manager Fisher announced today that he had signed as right fielder Mike Lynch, who played in the Northwest League last season.

SPRIGS PLENTY, SPORT IS GOOD.

DAY IN THE BLINDS AND HOW THING IS DONE.

Bagging the Limit No Easy Task. The First Flight, and Its Opportunities—Shooting Becomes Harder Later on as Birds Become Wilder.

Breakfast was over; out of the clubhouse stumped four booted, heavily-laden men, burdened with guns, ammunition, canteens and decoy sticks, ready for the journey to the blinds. Two climbed into the wagon with a sack of decoys; keeper clucked to the old web-footed horse and they were off. The other pair, having a short walk, set off on foot, one staggering under a backload of decoys. It was dark; the first radiance of day was just glowing over the hills and the morning star shone brightly in the southeast.

Ten minutes later the splash of decoys could be heard as their owners threw the wooden things into advantageous places. It was a short job and easily finished before time to shoot.

A confused roar, and a crackling, chattering sound now becomes audible from over the hills, never forgotten when once heard, for it is the slogan of the advancing sprigs, singing their drinking song.

Yet too dark, and too soon to shoot, two men huddle down in their blinds from force of habit. The coming of day is heralded by ducks seemingly in thousands. Just a long shot away, they are swinging back and forth, crossing and recrossing in tangled, tortuous lines, whizzing swiftly downward on stiffly-set wings, their tense primary feathers humming a wild refrain like that of a pipe organ. A succession of splashes shows where the first birds are lighting in the pond far out of gun range, and the rest of the flock pitches lower, confidently and swiftly. Three big bull widgeon break away from the nock in response to a good imitation of their three-note call, and with wings almost closed they launch their bodies at the foremost decoys, coming in as if shot from a cannon. Still too early, but habit calls, and the gunner springs to his feet, throws the gun on them, follows the flight a second, and mentally remarks "now," but does not shoot.

The sprig call is brought out, and a coarse imitation of the nimble-tongued music that is coming from everywhere is essayed. A flock, just in off the hills hears it, turns back, and swings overhead on a tour of inspection just out of range. Everything looks all right, and the next turn they come closer. Sixty yards overhead is a little too far, and the signal for opening fire has not blown.

There it is now—three shrill blasts from the widgeon call, and before the echoes have been hurled back by the hills, a big bull sprig and his mate cross the eight rod dead line; this time the trigger finger is not stayed, and the old, white-bellied chap wilts at the sharp crack of the first barrel, while his mate's skyward spring and mate's excitement account for a clean but ridiculous miss with the second barrel. Hastily shoving in another shell, the gunner turns over the climbing bird in midair, and down she pitches from her sixty-yard height, like a falling star, leaving a faint trail of downy feathers behind her on the morning air. The bombardment is now on in earnest, and thousands of ducks take wing with a roar like distant thunder.

Now is the time when your quick snapshot with his ejector can render a good account of himself. The early morning chances are close; a quick swing and trigger drawn as soon as the barrels pass their bills usually score clean kills. For perhaps fifteen minutes the "first flight" is on, and everybody has his attention fully engaged.

Maybe half a dozen birds—sometimes three times that number, are accounted for in the few minutes that elapse between the first fire and the departure of the birds for the sea. Then comes a period of lull. Scattering flocks will come back, answering the call readily, and the patient ones get birds. The spoonbills and teal, industriously scavengering about, persist in affording occasional tempting shots, which sometimes are taken, and beget that well-known duck marsh yell:

"To h--l with the spoonies—let the big ducks come down."

So it goes for the first hour or two, and about 8:30 there is usually a long lull, in which everybody gets out to round up recalcitrant birds which need "fixin'." The cleanest drakes are set up for decoys, and everybody tumbles into his hole again as the captain of the squad sings out: "Ma-ark ocean; here they come back."

This time the birds are widgeon, and they come down without the preliminary precautions of the sprigs. When in doubt the call usually turns them, and nearly everybody has a chance for a double before they go.

About 10 o'clock the game becomes harder. Persistent pounding has made the birds wild and they circle widely before coming within long range. Every shot on the adjoining clubs sends them jumping skyward again, and the expert is in his element, for other things than good guns and good ammunition are needed to "pull 'em down out of the clouds." Many an old bull sprig must be led with the barrels ten or fifteen feet and the gun kept moving, for at the long ranges birds must be struck fairly with the center of the charge to score them clean.

A little later the wind comes up and then everybody misses seemingly easy shots. A big allowance sometimes must be made for ducks flying into it, for shot drifts in the same proportion that the blow retards the birds.

Killing the limit sounds easy on paper, but it is well worth a trial any day when ducks are plenty, as they were yesterday, dragging 50 sprigs and widgeon in a morning's shooting is a trick not learned in a year, or in two. One gets about so many shots and must make the most of every chance. Dozens of shells are thrown away by even the old hands that might as well be saved, but if men were as infallible as their guns there would be no ducks left.

Limits were brought in on one of the Ballona clubs yesterday by the four men shooting there, and the kill was was mostly sprigs, widgeon being the next bird in number. Archie Freeman got four mallards on the Alla.

The Santa Monica club had a poor shoot and the Recreationists did not enjoy their usual fun, but killed fair strings nevertheless.

John Hauerwaas, Gen. Last and a party of local sportsmen shot over the Green Wing grounds yesterday with considerable success, getting many big birds.

TWO DUBS TO FIGHT.

NO DECISION EXPECTED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Jack Munroe and Tom Sharkey have decided to accept the offer of the National Athletic Club of Philadelphia, and will box before that organization next month. The bout will be for six rounds, and is to take place between February 10 and 24, the date to be selected next week. The sailor and the miner will fight for 65 per cent. of the gross receipts.

LANGTRY SEES HORSES.

ESCORTED BY BLOODS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MENLO PARK, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The six-in-hand tallyho of young Clark of San Mateo met the Langtry party here at noon, Joe Tobin handling the ribbons. Mrs. Langtry was escorted to the coach by Maj. Rathbone. The party consisting of six people were driven to the MacDonough stock farm, some eight miles west of Menlo Park. William MacDonough and other well known turfmen met the party at the celebrated stock farm. After an elaborate luncheon, all the afternoon was spent looking at thoroughbreds, which were greatly admired by Mrs. Langtry.

HOUNDS RUN SHORT RACES.

HARES ESCAPED THROUGH THE PARK FENCE.

A. Fricke Wins First and Second Money in Class Stake—Dick Took the Reserve Event—Short Enders Hold Their Own.

Short courses and the defeat of more than the average number of favorites were the features of the dog races yesterday at Angeles Park. A fair-sized crowd attended, and saw many of the hares make their escape, notwithstanding some small figure courses. A. Fricke won first and second moneys in the class stake with Betty Martin and St. Louis, and Sir Dick took the Reserve stake. The results were as follows:

Class stake—Betty Martin beat Aeolus, 4-1; Jigamaroo beat Boodle Boy, 12-7; Quitter beat Wapse, 7-5; St. Louis beat Lost Chord, 12-11; Flowery Friend beat Patino, 8-7.

First ties—Betty Martin beat Jigamaroo, 4-2; St. Louis beat Flowery Friend, 5-0.

Final—Betty Martin beat St. Louis, 6-3.

Class-stake consolation—Aeolus beat Wapse, 5-0; Lost Chord beat Boodle Boy, 6-1.

Final—Lost Chord beat Aeolus, 4-1.

Reserve stake—Loyal Lad beat St. Ives, 11-8; Cavaletta beat Pairce B., 5-1; Renown beat Lady Angeles, 7-2; Jolly Nash beat Pinto B., 5-0; Sad Sam beat True Still, 7-2; Sir Dick beat Red Butterfly, 9-2.

First ties—Cavaletta a bye; Jolly Nash beat Renown, 3-2; Sir Dick beat Sad Sam, 3-1.

Second ties—Cavaletta beat Jolly Nash, 9 8; Sir Dick a bye.

Final—Sir Dick beat Cavaletta, 8-5.

Reserve-stake consolation—Prince B. beat St. Ives, 5-0; Lady Angeles a bye; Red Butterfly beat True Still, 14-9.

First ties—Prince B. beat Lady Angeles, 7-5; Red Butterfly a bye.

Final—Prince B. beat Red Butterfly, 5-0.

UNION PARK RESULTS.

RAGTIME GOT THE MONEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Ragtime won the open stake at the Union Coursing Park this afternoon by default, after getting a bye in both the fifth and sixth rounds. In the deciding course Palo Alto, who had just beaten Bill Dugan, the eastern contestant, in the sixth round, was withdrawn, giving the stake to Ragtime. The victory of Horgan's hound was somewhat remarkable. She was led in every course by several lengths, but worked out well every time. In the fifth round she was given her first bye by the withdrawal of Fair Trailee, who had had a hard course. In the sixth round she got a natural bye. Palo Alto had run a hard course and had no show in the final, hence his withdrawal from the stake.

Bill Dugin led by a half dozen or more lengths in every round down to the deciding course. In the sixth round Palo Alto barely worked out on him.

There were seventy-two entries. The hares were strong and the weather ideal. The crowd was good and the betting fair. Sixteen short ends won, the largest upset being Miss Green's defeat of Orsina in the first round at 4 to 1. Bill Dugin beat Donnybrook at 3 to 1 in the first round.

"PITTSBURGH" HAS ARRIVED.

NOTED RACING PLUNGER HERE SEEKING HEALTH.

Pleasant Young Man Flees from a Freezing East to Los Angeles—Will be at Races Today but May Not Make a Wager.

Calm, cool, self-collected man of the world; pleasant-faced, soft-voiced, cultured in manner and dress; of medium height and about 35 years of age; quiet and unpretentious and yet having about him that indescribable air of a New Yorker—wouldn't be surprised or even blink an eye if Mr. Lowe would suddenly fall over on Pasadena.

Such is "Pittsburgh Phil," one of the greatest turf plungers of the world, who dropped quietly into Los Angeles late Saturday night on a delayed train, and is now at the Angelus.

"Phil," who signed his name on the register as George E. Smith of New York, is accompanied by his nephew James Gill, also of New York, and they are here simply on a health and pleasure trip, although if any of the bookmakers now operating of the Coast are pining for any trouble on account of the presence of so many piker sports, Phil might take a chance on "tapping" them for all they do now possess or expect to have in the years to come, if he took a fancy to any horse in a race.

PLUNGER SEEKS HEALTH.

"Yes, I am here simply for health and pleasure," said Phil last night to a reporter of The Times, after he had modestly admitted that he was the real article. "The weather in the East and particularly in New York is so miserable," he added, "that I concluded to come to Los Angeles. I have had a bad cold for some time, and it has clung to me so persistently that I thought a trip to Southern California would do me good. Sometimes a man stays around New York City longer than he should, you know. When the temperature gets down to zero and below the air seems to go right through you. Up in the center of the State the mercury has been down to 30 and 40 below zero, and that's too cold for me.

"We have taken our time in getting here, in a way, for we came around by New Orleans and stopped off there for several days. I was in oLs Angeles last February for just one day and wished afterward that I had stayed longer. I had barely just arrived when I met some eastern friends, who were going the next day to San Francisco, and I was persuaded to accompany them. No I have no relatives here. Walter Keyes, who some people think is my uncle, is merely an old friend who has been here about three weeks.

"Yes, of course, I will go out to the races tomorrow, for I do like to see horses run, and I suppose I could bet $10 or $20 just the same as any other man. No, I did not come West to play the races, and I do not know that I will even go to San Francisco. There are many points in interest around Los Angeles that I would like to see, and really I cannot tell you how long I may stay here."

SOMETHING MAY HAPPEN.

It is more than likely that "Pittsburgh Phil" will be the genuine center of attraction at the races today, but it is not likely that he will attempt to scare any of the bookmakers out of the grounds. The fact that he has arrived will be a good thing in a way, however, for this fact of itself is enough to hold any of the books from making complaints about there being no one in Los Angeles who would make a good bet.

If you happen to see the price of any horse in any race today suddenly drop from 10 to 1 to even money in two seconds it will doubtless be because some piker who looks like "Pittsburgh Phil" goes up and bets $2 on a pony.

SAN PEDRO ANGLERS' MECCA.

ANOTHER BIG CATCH OF POMPANO AND KINGFISH.

Biggest Crowd in History of Sport Occupies Points of Vantage Around the Channel, and None Go Home Dissatisfied With Day's Sport.

The piscatorial attractions of San Pedro played yesterday to the biggest attendance of anglers that has ever been chronicled in local fishing annals, midsummer or midwinter, and everybody got big messes. The catch was mainly kingfish and pompano; it was not measured by the individual specimens, but rather by the dozen.

The unprecedented run of pompano which has been the distinct feature of this winter's sport with rod and reel continues unabated, and the fish appear to be not only just as plentiful as they were a week ago, but equally hungry. As conservative a judge as Robert Campbell estimated there were a thousand lines wet in the harbor yesterday; the wharves on both sides from the lumber yards back of Terminal to the end of the new Salt Lake docks, and from the Morgan Oyster Company's place to the Kerckhoff-Cuzner landing on the San Pedro side, were preempted by fishermen.

All the regulars were on hand, putting in parts of the day around the bay, fishing some of the time at Terminal and other points on the sea side of the island. Everywhere the fish were biting. The few who tried the breakwater averaged four or five bass apiece.

Robert Campbell caught three dozen pompano on No. 12 hooks, using the hard part of clam for bait, and landed them all between 3 o'clock and train time. In addition he caught a huge butterfish weighing three pounds—quite the largest specimen of his kind yet reported.

W. G. Skeel stayed with the kingfish and pompano consistently, half filling a flour sack with the pumpkin seeds.

D. Botiller and M. Kremer also got in on the pompano with deadly execution, and H. T. Van Wiper caught a nice mess.

Just about quitting time the pompano began running splendidly, and those who remained over profited richly by their perseverance.

All along the west coast, fair fishing was enjoyed, but, as usual, San Pedro had the call for top-notch sport. Nearly all the rodsters realized it, and hied themselves to the bay. Few were sorry for it afterward.

BLUEROCKS.

GUN-CLUB SCORES.

A fair attndance showed up yesterday at the Los Angeles Gun Club grounds for an allday bluerock shoot, and two full squads were chosen without difficulty.

Scores were not sensational, nor were any long runs made, the conditions being none too favorable for such shooting. Vaughan started the day by running off 37 straight, but lost his next two birds. Justins made a run of 28, but the wind played tag with the birds in the afternoon, and scores suffered.

The events and results follow:

	1-30.	2-30.	3-30.	4-10.	5-30.
Howe	30	24	26	9	24
Van	28	22	25-21	..	..
Gibson	27	24	27	8	..
Vaughan	30	23	27	9	22
Bernhard	27	27	18	10	..
Lovelace	29	27	24	9	25
Smith	24	27	27	..	26
Wright	21	21	27	..	..
Lefever	19	15	..	..	..
Justins	26	..	..	..	17
Norton	9	20	27	10	..
Haywood	..	..	17	..	..

BALK LINE BILLIARDS.

SIGOURNEY BEATS CARNEY.

Sigourney had but little difficulty in beating Carney at balk-line billiards at Berry's rooms Saturday night, the final scores being 300 to 223. Carney played a fine up-hill game, but his opponent was best. The winner's high runs were 77, 35, 26, 22, 20 and 20, and his average 9 21-31. Carney made high runs of 28, 28 and 25, and an average of 7 13-30. Sigourney thus wins the championship of the South, having taken all three of the games he played.

TRIP TO CATALINA.

The visiting billiardists, in charge of Henry Berry, left yesterday morning for a pleasure trip of several days to Catalina Island, and will return Tuesday or Wednesday. It is more than probable that they will be in this city all of this week, and will play more exhibition games.

DOG MEN ACT.

COASTERS DEMAND RIGHTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 24.—At a conference of Pacific Kennel League delegates held in this city today and participated in by representatives of every show-giving club on the Pacific Coast save the San Francisco Kennel Club, the American Kennel Club, which the league seceded from a year ago, was extended a final opportunity to grant self government to its clubs as a condition precedent to its return to that organization. Delegates representing the Victoria, Vancouver, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, California Collie, Old English Sheep Dog, Pomeranian and Santa Clara County Kennel Clubs were present.

The demands of the league, formulated today in substance consist of self government in all essential particulars through the medium of a specific advisory board which the A.K.C. now maintains on this coast but which it is claimed is now a mere figurehead with no authority to enforce existing rules to conform to Pacific Coast conditions. The delegates expressed the hope that the New York Club would grant the concessions demanded. It was determined that in the event the A.K.C. rejecting the demands made upon it, all the northwestern clubs combine to aid the California clubs of the league both with entries

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in that State. The action of the dele-
gates at today's conference will be
d before the league members at the
nual meeting to be held in this city
April at which time it is expected
at all will be prepared to take final
tion.

ANOTHER STATE LEAGUE.
ORGANIZED AT SUISUN.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 24.—Another
ate baseball league was organized at
a meeting held in Suisun last night.
his is in addition to the league formed
week ago in which San José, San
rancisco and Sacramento take part.
ed. It is announced that there will
no "bucking" between the two big
agues, but baseball devotees say they
n't see how some rivalry can be
oided. The league organized today
kes in Vallejo, Suisun, Napa, Healds-
ento, Vacaville and San Francisco.
eeting will be held at Vallejo, Feb-
y 3 to complete arrangements.

San Diego Wins.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 24.—San Diego
on the game with Santa Ana this af-
noon. Walters, the first man up for
he local team, made it a three-bagger
nd Mohler followed with a home run.
his seemed to discourage the visitors
core:
San Diego, 7; Santa Ana, 1.
Moskiman pitched for San Diego,
rinkwater for Santa Ana.

Portland Club Sold.

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 24.—The re-
rs of the Portland Baseball Associ-
ion of the Pacific Coast League
ight decided to sell to W. Fryd and
nd his brother Benjamin Fry, a ma-
rolling interest in the club, and a
eal will be consummated tomor-
morning. The consideration, it is
ated, is to be $20,000. The manage-
ent of the club for the coming year
as been a matter of considerable
nise here, and the decision to sell
tly practically settles it.

Helping Out the Law's Abuses.

They do say that this nobby is
ened in this country no
while ago.
It was a part of the
wedding of some note.
er had just finished the
hen he was accosted by
"Say, how much do you
sked the new Benedict.
"Oh," said the minister, "I
o specific charges for
his kind," usually being
with the sum the generosity of
happy groom may prompt him
give. The law, however, allows
fee of $2.50."
"All right," said the groom, h
ng the minister a piece of
here's another dollar. That
3.50. Will that do you?"
And the astonished minister
ay "Yes."—"Winchester Sentinel.

A Propositi'on.

"A kind lady gev me an old
vistid'y dat had de name o'
firm in it an' it fits me fine,"
Ragson Tatters, the tramp.
"Well?" said the tailor.
"Well, if you'll gimme a
pair o' pants ter go wid it I'll
ver a testimonial sayin' you
n de best fittin' I ever
[Philadelphia Press.

New Entrance to Times Office.

While the Business Office of the
is being remodeled, the entrance
dvertising and subscription depart-
t is on First street at the eastern
of the building.

M. B. MIHR
Has Arrived—Will
the Greatest Art
in Los Angeles.

Rug buying public will be
hear of M. B. Mihran's return
An eles after long absence.
time he has been gathering
of the Oriental art, with the
of bringing here a superb
that will stand the critic
most astute connoisseur.
Mr. Mihran is known
world as an authority on
his lectures and articles
both here and in San Fra
enlightened and stirred
against the new fraudulent
antiquating rugs by chemi
process destroys the fiber.
Mr. Mihran has the
dealing only in genuine
public will be delighted to
velous collection, which
hibition at the new magnifi
Block, 523 South Broadway,
Fifth and Sixth streets, ne
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Mr. Mihran's scholarly
will greatly help the pub
study and selection of h
his stay in Los Angeles
short, the entire collection
posed of at public auction,
Wednesday, Jan. 27th, at
and 2 p.m., daily.
Mr. Mihran cordially inv
patrons and friends, also the
general who are interested in

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At the Churches Yesterday.

Sunday Schools and Baccalaureate.

BACCALAUREATE address to
the graduating class of the State
Normal School was delivered
the Baptist Church by Rev.
. Burdette yesterday morning.
acher chose for his text Mat-
. 6:9. "What do ye more than
" In the course of his address
e said:
"Are they, that they should do
ore than others? Trained specialists,
hereditary genius had been
ened by a lifetime of study and
ar? Men, filled with bookly
ore from hermit cell and schools
ner by star-signs written on
e firmament of the skies? Men
ed and skilled above all others
several lines, such as the men
ho with understanding whom' Solo-
on were summoned to the de-
ng building of the temple?
ns from the schools of the
and lawyers—pupils of Gamaliel
ching perfect in the letter of
and clever casuists in all the
ng puzzling question of ethics
ws. Who were 'they' that
commanded and expected to
more than others?
ese were uneducated men; they
e trained in priestly habits,
ds were not enriched with
ature; they were not learned
ical philosophies; four of them
rmen. One was a publican.
mpanied of his people. Plain,
ple. Obscure men, gathered
mself by an obscure teacher
ssenger; purpose and the most
hievement that ever drew
n about a mighty personage.

ere they to 'do more than
ese men, of no influence in
h power in politics, no high
e church, what were they to
than others?' Set aside the
national tradition and break
arriers of race prejudice.
orld of revenge, the world
reciprocity of 'an eye for
, a tooth for a tooth,' to re-
for curling, to repay evil
to render love for hate.
others?' They were com-
heal the sick, cleanse the
raise the dead.' To 'give freely,
they had received, yet were
ded to 'provide gold, or silver
their purses.'
ere sent out on a mission of
ce, as 'sheep among
and their instruction for this
was to combine 'the wisdom
erpent and the harmlessness of
doves.' Subjects of Caesar, in-
of their religious life by men
to be called rabbi,' they were
to call no man Master.'
ers, they were forbidden to
for the morrow.' A hand-
ader. When they were left
the world they were com-
to make disciples of all na-
ey were to destroy all the es-
ments of falsehood and
d in the world, to make the
and teachings of their gods
ch school boy's composition,
han curios in the museums
holiday of chattering tour-
were to brush from the lips
men the very languages
gods were worshipped.
nunciation of their pray-
matter of ignorant un-
the peoples of the earth,
d of curious speculation
wrangling among the
They were to set up the
of the cross on the ruins of
ples. On the ashes of shrine
and temple of Zeus and Pal-
Hoteoch and Astarte, they were
the churches of the Living
of the eternal God. Much
others' they were to do.
than others—more than all
t went before them—more
thers of their time, in the
Jesus Christ, Son of the living
did. These men were disci-
ey were learners. And so long
e learners, they grew in wis-
ourage, in power.
nt of the Normal School:
you were students. Today
achers. But the one does not
the other. For on the day
e disciple, the teacher is hurled.
cease to be pupils, you will
teachers. Today, the ques-
is all of us, but with es-
and application to you.
re more than others?' For
ople have a right to expect,
should, that you shall 'do
others.' We know what
the world has of brain and
men by fiber of education
ation. You are coming out
ve world that will try to
code of ethics very differ-
its pure morality and high
study and classroom. You
the air. You breathe the
ere in politics, dishonesty
hypocrisy in religion. You
into a world that is money-
ord of men who worshiped
years ago and hailed him
priest when his cunning
ckery and dishonest meth-
them gain, and who curse
because he is one who
s was then, but because
and dishonesty failed. Had
he would still be the
archs and the idol of the
Jehovah succeeded, he would
g moral and stimulating
men on the 'True Ele-
orable Success in Life.
ing into a world where,
uncils convene, they are
ether they will find a
ism in the Council cham-
liamentary. You will find
needs you—that is waiting
when you enter upon
of truth and honor and
will probably cry 'Away
fe different is the world
the pleasant world of
this world of sin, and
greed, what will you 'do
there?'
been taught of God, for all
of Him. He has equipped
new work. Now, lay the
of your life work deep,
below the shifting sand
rous clay, until they
lasting Rock of Ages.
the truth at all times.
Kindle a fire in the souls
and pure, a sun-white
man altars. Teach men—
, but what is far better—
Then death will be the
a life, new and higher,
the happiest, but agonize
Burn the truths of
souls of men with the liv-
own pure, noble, con-
for righteousness. You
your lives the seal of a
neration. Let no glitter-
you, no storm of opposi-
, or persecution turn
the holy singleness of
The seed you sow in
up into abundant har-
songs of the reapers.
Teacher came to His
silent in the pres-
multitude, helpless
and moaning and
. 'What do ye more
Nothing, dear Lord
Enemies: we are thy dis-
we make a scorn of
we do no more than
cannot we cast him
of the truth, let
discourage you. For
come to Him as came
shouts of joy and
before them like her-
even the devils

The Talmage Yesterday.

Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage preached at the First Presbyterian Church yesterday upon "The Language of Action." He took his text from Proverbs vi:13: "He winketh with his eyes, he speaketh with his feet, he teacheth with his fingers."

"This is the last text and the last sermonic caption my father ever wrote," said Rev. Talmage. "When I was summoned to Washington during his mortal illness, I found upon his study desk a plain sheet of paper, placed there with these nineteen words upon it, just as he always wrote down his theme and text before he started his sermon. That brief memorandum proved to me that had he not been quickly summoned away by the messenger of death, the next sermon he would have written would have been upon the language of action. There were no indications of the manner in which he intended to treat his topic, but I know that the subject had been much in his mind, and that he had often been impressed by the mischief done by gestures and actions, without the utterance of a word. I wish we could have had that sermon, for the warnings he would have uttered need to be spoken. I have thought it a filial duty, so far as I am able, to fulfill the intention my father was prevented from carrying out.

"All language is not spoken by the lip. A few months ago I had this truth emphasized in a striking way. I attended an orchestral concert, directed by a great conductor, and enjoyed it as much in what I saw as in what I heard. The movements of the leader's hands and wrists, the gentle undulations of his baton, the quick shakes of his head and tossing hair, the flitting expressions upon his face, the bending of his shoulders, the nervous movement of his feet, the quick lifting of his arms, told me whether the orchestra was softly singing a lullaby, or whispering a love song, sounding forth a battle call, or playing a waltz; rendering a wedding march or a requiem. This orchestral leader's movements typified the language of action.

"A wicked man's evil is manifested in action, first, by his conspicuous absence from all pure and noble associations. He does not count among his daily companions the good, the pure, the true. A man's true life is nearly always judged by his surroundings.

"There goes an old proverb, 'At times nothing is falser than figures and nothing more unjust than exact legal justice.' So at times, we have seen men become thieves, though they could not be arraigned in the criminal court. We have seen men become liars, though by the 'Language of Action' they could not be proved perjurers before any legal tribunal. One day, about a year before Abraham Lincoln was nominated at Chicago, a Mr. Lord entered the law office of Lincoln & Herndon, and heard a conversation between 'Honest Abe' and one of his clients. This conversation closed in the following way: 'Yes, we can doubtless gain your case for you; we can set a whole neighborhood at loggerheads; we can distress a widowed mother, and her six fatherless children, and thereby get for you six hundred dollars, to which you seem to have a legal claim, but which rightfully belongs, it appears to me, as much to the woman and her children as it does to you. You must remember that some things legally right are not morally right. We shall not take your case, but will give you a little advice, for which we shall charge you nothing. You seem to be a sprightly, energetic man; we would advise you to try your hand in making six hundred dollars in some other way.' I cannot express my thought that 'some things are legally right and not morally right,' better than by resting it with the blunt words of one whose 'Language of Action' never intentionally gave utterance to a lie.

"When some one asked the great Athenian orator what were the three most effective essentials for successful public speech, Demosthenes answered: 'First, action; second, action; third, action.' So let the lesson of the text be translated into your lives. Let your actions, public and private, be of such a character that your influence will be one that stimulates, ennobles and spiritualizes the lives of others. In secret and in the eyes of men, so act and so live that your associates, your neighbors, the community, and the world, will be the better for your having lived. By your Christian example you may lead others to become Christians. By your gospel hand-shake, you can win souls for Christ. By your welcoming and encouraging eye, you can cheer up the oppressed and the downtrodden. By your gesturing finger, you can point out the right path wherein the sinner can forsake his sin and walk hand in hand with God.

"My brother, my sister, always let your influence be cast upon the safe side of every debatable moral question. Let your 'Language of Action' always in Christ's name be a message for hope, and never a guide leading toward eternal death."

Prophets' Dreams.

Rev. C. J. K. Jones preached yesterday morning in the Church of the Unity on "The Dream of the Prophets." He said in part: "Throughout the historical period of human life on the earth, we find that men have had a buoyant expectancy of something better to come in their material and social well being. They have labored to this end. In their struggle with the forces of nature they never have surrendered. The soul of the race is unconquerable. One generation has passed on to the next succeeding the undying hope and faith that more light would come, some day, to the hearts and homes of men. From earliest times of human consciousness and dream, there ever has been an unbroken tradition of human aspiration and endeavor. The history of the human ascent is the story of a wonderful evolution. This evolution has been essentially intellectual and religious. Man is possessed of an unalterable conviction that there are spiritual forces and powers attending him which emanate from spirit beings or being to whom he is allied. He is a believer in Someone beyond him, who is higher, more powerful and wiser than he. For the greater part in a blind and ignorant way, yet, in a way true to his degree of intelligence and apprehension of things, man has sought to know and worship a Divine Being, or Beings.

"In all ages man has sought God and felt after Him, 'if haply he might find Him.' In a way that was the best they knew, at the time, men, in all their generations, have been bent on doing just what each one of us is doing this morning, by coming into this house of worship, namely, attempting to draw near to Him who is invisible.' We see Him not, we hear Him not, though 'doubtless He is not far from each one of us.' As men increase in knowledge and right reason, they perceive more clearly the Divine Presence as revealed by the manifestation of His works. The phenomena of nature within, as without us, are the sources of those impressions and gleams of a higher intelligence and power which signify the existence that is the power and potency of our own lives. The things that are seen convince us of the things that are unseen, and this common experience, mankind has made the dreams of the prophets, seers and sages. In all ages of the world. However rude and savage have been the people of any age or nation, in their rites and ceremonies, however ignorant and superstitious their beliefs, there always has been an element of purer ideals, which has given rise to some great soul, or souls, who have apprehended the meaning and destiny of life in higher terms than their neighbors. All peoples, in all ages, have had their seers, wise men, prophets, oracular priests, or dreamers of dreams, who saw visions of bettr and nobler life to come. These dreams and visions were simply the exalted hopes and faith of these great souls, as to what ought to be, and some day might be. The world is immeasurably indebted to these dreamers, they have kept the world sane and sweet."

Spiritual Profit and Loss.

At the First Christian Church yesterday morning Rev. A. C. Smither preached a sermon on "Spiritual Profit and Loss," from the text: "What is a man profited if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul?" He said in part:

"In these days when special emphasis is laid upon evangelistic work a fresh study of this important question of Jesus may be fitting.

"This scripture teaches a truth ever needing emphasis, that man has a soul, a spirit which is apart from and vastly superior to his body, which is but the tent in which his soul temporarily sojourns in this world. The possession of the soul with its faculties and powers is that which differentiates the man from the beast. Apart from and beside the teaching of Jesus man's own consciousness is a living witness of this spiritual nature and power.

"Man's soul is of infinite value. It is made in the image of God and fashioned after his likeness and bears His nature as the child reflects the parent, the soul reflects God even though it be an image marred by sin. Its worth is attested by its achievements in the world, for all that is tender, beautiful, holy, divine in human life finds its origin here. Love is the offspring of the soul, while hope ministers daily to its delights. The supremacy of the mental, moral and religious in the world is the victory of the soul in its struggles for righteousness. For the soul's ultimate attainments Jesus Christ came into the world, and His coming must ever be a tribute to the worth of man's spirit. The lesson of the cross, the explanation of the incarnation is found in God's love to man and His desire for man's redemption in Christ. His coming to this world was to serve as a guide to the wandering, erratic children of God, that they might find a way of return to their Father's house. The imperishable nature, the divine nature of the soul must ever be an evidence of its supreme value to God. The body will crumble to dust, but that which came from God, that which is divine must abide through the eternal years of God. Alas! that men should not truly value their immortal powers and possibilities, and that they should be indifferent to their soul's deepest need.

"The soul with such infinite powers may be lost from God, from all that is pure, holy and good. Its power for truth, its love of God and good, its image of God may be marred by sin and forever despoiled of its rights in the inheritance of the riches of God. Sin which separated the angels from God will separate the soul of the child from the presence of the eternal God. For this unholy end all the forces of darkness and evil are combined. That men should suffer in the future for their sins is no more marvelous than that they should suffer at all.

"The appeal to man not to forget God and the highest interests of their souls comes with great power and significance in this day and generation when the spirit of commercialism and the call of pleasure seem dominant. The call of God should be heard now. Today is the day of salvation. Harden not your hearts, ye indifferent children of this generation. Turn to God while opportunity awaits your acceptance of divine mercy."

The Troubled Waters.

At the first Congregational Church yesterday morning, Rev. William Horace Day preached on the text "I Have no Man, When the Waters are Troubled to Put Me Into the Pool." He said in part:

"Recently the pool of Bethesda, house of mercy, has been indentified near the sheep gate of the Holy City. It was the great public bath of Jerusalem. A portico was built about this body of water for the invalids who waited for the eruption of gases which made the waters of the intermittent thermal spring so valuable in the healing of disease. Two things in the text contain a message to the church today. The infirm said: 'When the waters is troubled,' recognizing the fact that there were seasons when the water was more helpful than at other times. There are crises in the progress of life. In business there is a busy season. In politics we have a special season of intense thought once in four years. In education there are terms and vacations. No less is there favorable season in religious growth. The law of growth is slow progress rather than sudden crisis and advance. The period of troubled waters comes to the whole Church. The day of pentecost, the different crusades, the puritan exodus, all were times when the waters were troubled—times of profound crises and advance. There are times when a city is stirred—'When He was come into Jerusalem, all the city was stirred.' He had been there often before, but at that time the people realized that He was there and the waters of the life of the city were troubled.

"In Los Angeles today the waters are troubled. The churches, those who do not call themselves a part of the Church are expectant; the press of the city doing what it can that the people of the city may realize that the waters are being troubled. The religious crisis is the soul, is the hour of culmination in which the gulf between intelligence —or what we know to be right and with or our determination to do the right we know. Over this gulf fixed between the two in personality there is a bridge, we call it emotion, when love is born we pass from knowing our duty to the glad doing of it.

"The second message of this text is found in the words 'I have no man to put me into the pool.' Man must cooperate with God if the means of grace are to be most effective. The failure of the case of the infirm at Bethesda was not in God's gift to the waters, but because there was no man to help. The kind of action needed is also suggested, to translate literally 'I have no man to throw me into the pool,'—the work we give to God must be vigorous, immediate and intelligent. As Christians we must make plans to cooperate and cooperate at that particular moment when the waters are being troubled. Woe is us if during these next few weeks while so many are working for the troubling of the waters, while our Church is especially responsible for the coming of Dr. Campbell Morgan if the troubling of the waters shall come and go and we be not ready, if by reason of the sin of the ungirt loin and the unlit lamp our lives do not bear real fruit. Alas if some one shall say because of our carelessness 'I had no man to put me into the pool.' Because I know the flame that has been lighted on the heart altars in this city I know we are to have a glorious harvest from the whitening fields."

A Blow Instead of a Word.

Pastor Willett preached the last of a series of sermons on "The Real Mistakes of Moses," at the Orchard Avenue Church yesterday morning. The following were the main points emphasized in the discourse, the text being Numbers xx., 8-11: "Speak ye unto the rock," . . . "and with his rod he smote the rock twice.

"A study of the life of Moses is full of fascinating interest. What a sublime grandeur do we find in his character, in his life of six score years we see the opening, developing and ripening of a great soul. Only for three mistakes recorded against him we might be discussing whether he was not something more than human. A foundling on the Nile. A youthful prince in Pharaoh's court. A scholar among the wise men of Egypt. An overzealous reformer. A fugitive from justice. A shepherd of the desert. A miracle worker. A patient leader of a fault-finding people. A friend of God. What a wonderful record. What a pity that he should ever make a mistake. What a blessing that his mistakes have been recorded from our instruction.

"What his mistake was is plain to us if we consider the divine command, 'Speak ye to the rock.' Thirty-seven years before he was commanded to smite the rock under similar conditions. But now a new commandment comes for a new time. The meek man's meekness failed him at a critical time. The One Hundred and Sixth Psalm says, 'He spake unadvisedly with his lips.' He scored the congregation for their rebellion and at the same time rebelled himself. In the twenty-seventh chapter God says, when calling him up to pay the penalty of death on the desert side of Jordan, 'For ye rebelled against my commandment in the desert of Zin.'

"It is hard to reconcile the punishment imposed on Moses for his hasty words and erratic act with the general forgiveness of God and the closeness of the divine friendship which he enjoyed. The fact that the rock was a type of Christ lends special significance to the sin of smiting the rock. But some one says, 'Does not Isaiah speak of Christ when he says, "For the transgression of my people was he smitten?"' True, but that suggests the answer. Since Christ was once smitten on Cavalry by the law for our redemption there is no need to smite him a second time, as we sometimes do by our murmuring, complaining unbelief. A word, only a word, is needed now. A word of penitential contrition, a word of confiding petition, and out from the once-smitten Rock shall flow again the sacred tide, sin-atoning, soul-cleansing, life-giving and free.

"It seems to me there was an element of divinest tenderness in the carrying out of the sentence imposed for that mistake. He did, indeed, die in the land of Moab. But what a death and what a funeral!

"'And had he not high honor?
The hillside for his pall,
To lie in state while angels wait,
With stars for tapers tall;
And the dark rock pines, like tossing plumes,
Over his bier to wave,
And God's own hand, in that lonely land
To lay him in the grave.
"'Oh, lonely tomb in Moab's land!
Oh dark Beth-peor's hill!
Speak to these curious hearts of ours,
And teach them to be still.
God hath his mysteries of grace,—
Ways that we cannot tell;
He hides them deep, like the secret sleep,
Of him we loved so well.'"

A Young Man's Choice.

On Sunday evening, Rev. C. C. Pierce made Lot and his unwise choice, the subject of a sermon to young people. He said in part: "The age in which we live surpasses that of any other one world has ever seen, in the extent of its scientific, and intellectual achievements. The telescope, the spectroscope, the new chemistry, and the new psychology have ushered us into a world wholly unknown to our grandfathers. It is an interesting thing, however, to note that the old book written so many centuries ago, is still our highest standard for that knowledge which would place us in right relation to God, and to our fellow men. The story of Lot vividly illustrates a great lesson which cannot be too well learned, that the choices of the young are as those of no other period of life.

"The choices which a young man makes with sufficient thoroughness, to make them real, are to stay with him all through life, hence the importance of making them right. The case of Lot presents us with a brilliant young man with many noble aspirations, and great opportunities who all his life, had to bear the heavy burden of bad fundamental choices.

"There are three fundamental elements in all right choices. Choice as to our attitude toward God, choice of companions and choice of occupation or plan in life. In all these fundamentals, Lot went wrong, and so was forever handicapped with a burden under which he finally succumbed. He did did not ask, 'What does God want me to do?' but 'What is the thing that is most pleasing to me?' He made a foolish choice of companions and associates, and though no doubt the association with the citizens of Sodom must have blunted his higher and finer sensibilities, still we read that those about him vexed his righteous soul from day to day.'

"He made a wrong choice of occupation, or rather his occupation was located in the wrong place. It presented all the essential features of a successful enterprise, when viewed in a material light, but it left out entirely other elements more important.

"Lot was supremely selfish in his choice, and here he made his great mistake, a mistake which hundreds and thousands of those of this day are all the time making. We have not yet learned, as some day the world will certainly learn, that a wrong done by us to another, really injures us in the end more than any one else."

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

AGED MAN SLAIN IN HIS HOME.

A. R. ROCKHILL'S MUTILATED BODY FOUND BY NEPHEW.

Strap Around Neck and One Ear Cut Off and Signs of Fierce Struggle—Water Companies Meet at Riverside Today.

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 24.—With a leather strap around his neck and one ear cut off, and lying in a pool of his own blood, A. R. Rockhill, 75 years of age, was today found dead at his home near the ostrich farm.

The discovery of the tragedy was made by the old man's nephew, Harry Beattie, who this morning went to call on his uncle and was horrified to find the old man's mutilated body on the floor of his little ranch house.

Rockhill owned a small orange orchard on North Monroe street between California and Arlington avenues. He lived alone, his wife having died about two months ago. He was in comfortable financial circumstances, had money in the bank, and it is supposed that robbery was originally intended, but murder became necessary because of the old man's heroic struggles.

Rockhill was a very powerful man despite his advanced age, and the house and the condition of the body indicated a fierce struggle. The suicide theory is not believed by the officers.

As soon as Mr. Beattie discovered his uncle's dead body he notified the Riverside police and Sheriff Coburn, Police Officer Baird and Coroner Dixon went to the scene of the tragedy but were unable to obtain the slightest clue to the supposed murderers.

This is the second murder committed in that vicinity within two months. Andrew F. Peterson was killed near that place a short time ago, and Alexander Karis is now in jail here charged with that murder and will be arraigned tomorrow morning.

MEETING OF WATER COMPANIES.

Tomorrow the various water companies in Southern California will meet here. On the 11th inst. the organization of the Water Protective Association was perfected. It was decided that membership may be had by corporation, or by individual and representation will be based on the number of inches of water distributed, every member to have one vote for each inch of water distributed. The number of votes any corporation or individual is entitled to will be determined by dividing the production of water for the preceding year by 12. Several other companies not represented at the former meeting will have delegates at tomorrow's gathering. It is reported that the owners of water-bearing land in and around San Bernardino have organized the San Bernardino Valley Water Protective Association, which is said to mean there are lively times in store for some of the water companies which have heretofore been doing business in this district.

MINOR MENTION.

Tomorrow afternoon at Chemawa Park another interesting game of polo will be played. The members of the Riverside Club will be out in full force, and the presence of such experienced players as Frank J. Mackay, Capt. Neil Haig, Charles Dorland and Basil Williams, will add interest to the game.

Deputy Sheriff Z. F. Brown has been subpoenaing many witnesses in the vicinity of Corona and Rincon, who are wanted to testify in the big water case of the Anaheim Water Company vs. Fuller Brothers. It is claimed Fuller Brothers have been ignoring the injunction issued against them by Judge Bledsoe of San Bernardino county.

Yesterday a young man giving the name of Clayton, who claimed to be from Riverside, hired a horse and buggy at one of the San Bernardino liveries and said he would return it about 5 o'clock in the afternoon. He failed to appear at that time, and about 1 o'clock this morning drove into the Market Square corrall, left the rig and skipped out before he could be caught. No trace of him has been found.

CORONA.

WILL ORGANIZE HIGH SCHOOL.

CORONA, Jan. 24.—County Superintendent of Schools Edward Hyatt has issued a call for a meeting of the qualified voters of Corona to be held at the schoolhouse February 15 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. to vote on establishing and maintaining a High School in this district. This will be the final step in organizing the district. The preliminary arrangements were made some time ago, and will be followed by a High School bond election.

REAL ESTATE DEALS.

Jacob Stoner has sold 320 acres of improved land at Imperial, with stock and farm implements, for $20,700. Charles Ives has bought a quarter block on Eighth street, west of the Glass property, of Martha C. Page of New York city. Mrs. John Humble will build two houses on Ramona street and W. A. Hurry a cottage on Joy near Sixth street.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

The gentlemen of the XX Club entertained the lady members with a dancing party in Masonic Hall Friday evening, followed by a supper at Perkins's.

Mrs. Ellwood Lilly and sons have returned from a visit in Toronto, Can.

E. W. Bennink and family have moved to Ontario.

David Bardwell of Tropico is visiting his daughter, Mrs. G. A. McCarty.

F. M. Baird and Will Gray report that the largest lynx ever seen in the nearby mountains visited Byler's Cañon last week.

E. O. Noyes of Brockton, Mass., has been the guest of L. E. Alden and other former Massachusetts friends.

Mrs. Frank Perkins is entertaining Capt. and Mrs. C. E. Buell of Santa Ana.

Orange and lemon shipments from Corona since December 1 were 167 carloads.

William Underwood employed by the Corona Gas and Electric Company, severely sprained both wrists by a fall from a ladder and has returned to his home at Santa Paula.

SANTA ANA.

ORANGE TEAM DEFEATED.

SANTA ANA, Jan. 24.—The baseball nines of the Santa Ana and Orange High Schools played their first match game of the season yesterday afternoon at Athletic Park. The contest resulted in a victory for the Santa Ana team by a score of 4 to 1. The Santa Ana nine is exceptionally strong this season and is getting ready for the spring series of interscholastic baseball games.

Mrs. Eliza E. Safely, wife of Alfred S. Safely, died this morning at the home of J. Johnston on North Main street, whose guests they have been for several weeks. The body will be shipped to Tipton, Iowa, for interment.

Rev. J. E. Haywood, pastor of the Riverside Methodist Church, preached today at both services of the First Methodist Church. Revival meetings under the lead of local and visiting ministers have been conducted for the past week. Sermons were delivered by Rev. B. C. Cory, Rev. E. Leonardson, Rev. George S. Clark and I. R. Horton.

"Christian Citizenship" will be considered at the meeting of the W.C.T.U. on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. W. C. Burdick on Hermosa street.

A marriage license was issued here yesterday to Louis H. Murdock, aged 23, resident of Olive, and Mary H. Durfee, aged 19, of Villa Park.

Rev. M. M. Kilpatrick, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church is in Long Beach today in the interest of the movement to found a church there.

Mrs. John Torrey of Los Angeles is the guest of Dr. Willella Howe-Waffle in this city.

ORANGE.

TEACHERS IN CONVENTION.

ORANGE, Jan. 24.—A district convention of the teachers of Orange, El Modena, Villa Park and Olive was held yesterday at El Modena. It was the first of a number of similar gatherings planned for the discussion of educational questions. Addresses were given by Miss Brotherhood of Los Angeles on "Drawing as a Help in the Study of History and Geography;" by Messrs. Harlin and Harvey on the teaching of history; by Dr. Hoose of the University of Southern California, on "Property as a Basis of Morals;" by E. T. Langley of Santa Ana, on "Character Building of Boys."

The district convention of the C.W.B.M. of the Christian Church will be held here Wednesday. Delegates will be present from all neighboring churches. Addresses will be given by local and visiting workers.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Fred Bandick and Anna Helm, the ceremony to take place January 28 at 2 o'clock at the Evangelical Lutheran Church.

The Baptist Church has elected the following officers for the coming year: A. L. Havens, clerk; Mrs. E. E. Wilson, treasurer; Miss Bibber, chorister; A. L. Havens, John Hickey, E. E. Wilson, Mrs. H. F. Paine, David Bowen and Mrs. A. H. Bibber, trustees.

W. H. Gray of Portland, Me., is here visiting his brother, J. J. Gray.

DRINKS TO LUCK; SHOOTS HIMSELF.

TRAGIC INCIDENT IN SALOON AT SAN BERNARDINO.

Discharged Bar-keeper from Needles Attempts to Commit Suicide. Miners Attacked by Strange Illness and Poisoned Food is Suspected.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 24.—Charles Donnell, alias Howard White, invited several friends into the Senate saloon this afternoon.

They stepped up to the bar, the drinks were served, and raising his glass Donnell cried:

"Here's to good luck!"

Before any of his companions realized what he intended to do, and as they raised their glasses to their lips, Donnell suddenly dropped his glass, drew a 38-caliber revolver and sent a bullet crashing into his throat.

Donnell arrived here from Needles this morning. He had been a barkeeper in the desert town. He was discharged and started for San Francisco. He had been drinking and was probably despondent.

His jaw was broken in three places by the bullet, and nearly all of his teeth were knocked out, but he will recover.

FOOD PROBABLY POISONED.

A strange illness seized the night shift employed at the Bagdad mines the other night, and the suspicion among many of those affected is that they were the victims of poison placed in their food. After supper the men went down into the shaft in good health. They had been at work only a short time when one after another was seized with excruciating pains in the stomach. The illness was diagnosed as poisoning and an analysis made of the food, with the result that a white substance was found in the beans. The cook says the only ingredient he placed in the beans apart from what is customary was a small amount of soda, but there is a suspicion that the soda was tampered with, and the cause of illness was strychnine, though there is no way to account for such a malicious act as the men and their employers have always been on the best of terms, and none of the men are known to have had any enemies.

CONDEMNATION SUIT.

The county has commenced another condemnation suit against William Roach to obtain a strip of land across his property at Highgrove for a road. The first suit was knocked out by the Superior Court, owing to the fact that the District Attorney had made no tender for the right of way before commencing legal action. Recently the Supervisors appointed appraisers to place a value on the strip, and they agreed on $250, which is one-third the price asked by Roach. The case has become noted, as Roach stood guard over his property with a shot gun night and day, threatening to blow the head from anyone who attempted to trespass.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The City Trustees paid a visit to the new reservoir yesterday afternoon, finding everything entirely satisfactory. The structure has a capacity of 1,000,000 gallons, and will soon be full of water.

The meeting of the San Bernardino Valley Water Protective Association yesterday at the Board of Trade rooms resulted in rallying thirty-two ranchers to the cause, all agreeing to stand by the legal battle to be fought over the artesian water problem. The news that the Riverside Water Company has arranged to sink deeper wells has caused much excitement here. The fear is expressed that if not enjoined the valley will be drained dry before another year.

The Supervisors will spend Monday morning in inspecting various samples of voting machines. It is proposed to provide the voting precincts of the county with three machines in time for the next election.

George W. Gray of Needles was brought to the County Jail this morning to serve ninety days on the rock pile for assault and battery upon a neighbor, whom he endeavored to pound into paying a debt of $20.

A bloody fight with knives took place this afternoon in Beam's saloon among a crowd of Mexicans. One of the combatants was terribly cut about the face and body and will probably die. The fighters were arrested.

FATHER FREES SON FROM JAIL.

AGAIN COMES TO RESCUE OF HIS WAYWARD BOY.

Los Berros Young Man Arrested for Passing Worthless Checks. Drouth Blamed for Santa Ynez Rancher's Suicide.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA MARIA, Jan. 24.—E. C. Coomer of Los Berros was arrested in Guadalupe Thursday for passing a bogus check on a bartender at the Exchange Hotel. Coomer is a fruit peddler and tendered a $50 check to the bartender in payment for his bill. Shortly after leaving the premises Coomer tried to leave town by one of the side streets, unobserved. Meantime the hotel proprietor had made inquiries regarding the check, and finding it was no good, at once had officers place Coomer under arrest. Next day the prisoner's father made good his son's liability and after paying the constable and judge fees Coomer was permitted to return home. Several weeks ago Coomer came to Santa Maria and passed worthless checks on several local merchants to the extent of $100 and then fled. His father returned the money.

DROUTH BLAMED FOR SUICIDE.

Juan Save, a Frenchman residing near Santa Ynez on the Weile Ranch, was found with his throat cut Wednesday. Weile had often threatened to commit suicide, and it is believed the deed was committed by his own hand. Weile had extensive dairy interests and it is supposed his mind was deranged by the long drouth. His remains were taken to Santa Barbara and were interred in the Catholic cemetery. Six children survive him.

PACKING COMPANY IN TROUBLE.

The Abalone Packing Company's plant at Cayucos has been attached by the San Luis Obispo sheriff for wages due the employés. The plant closed down some months ago with the understanding that it was to be opened shortly after the new year began. Developments show that the management is completely swamped and the employés are without pay for services rendered. Judgment is asked in the sum of $300.

LOOKING FOR OIL.

Five of the largest ranches in the vicinity of Los Alamos are to be explored for oil. Bakersfield capitalists, headed by A. L. Canfield, are erecting derricks on three leased properties and development work on the others will begin as soon as the necessary lumber reaches the place. The properties lie south of the Western Union Company's holdings, and thus far have not been tested.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

An irrigation company has been formed in Arroyo Grande with a capital stock of $2500. The stock is held by farmers who expect to use the waters of the Arroyo Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. John Drum have returned from an extended trip East.

Ellis G. Wylie, who died in Watsonville, was buried here Tuesday. Deceased was a native of the valley, and 21 years of age.

Dell Daniels and Addie Oakley were married at the residence of the bride's brother, W. C. Oakley, Thursday. After the wedding the couple left for their new home in Pierce, Ariz.

Mrs. I. R. Lownes has moved to Lompoc.

At no time since the drought of 1887 have cattlemen suffered more severe losses than during the present season. The cold spell following the rain killed hundreds of cows and steers. The cold weather is seriously retarding the growth of feed and there is little relief in sight.

SNOW MAY BE DRIFFILL'S RIVAL.

MENTIONED AS BARD CANDIDATE FOR ASSEMBLY.

Would be Strong Opponent for Oxnard's Manager—Ranch Employee Charged With Threatening Life of Employer—Searching for Radford.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Jan. 24.—It is pretty well understood among Senator Bard's friends here that he is a candidate for reëlection, but he does not want to appear in the light as making a scramble for the place. So well are Bard's ideas understood in the matter that his friends are already lining up behind him to do battle against the aspirations of Oxnard's manager, Maj. Driffill. The man most talked of to oppose Driffill is H. K. Snow, Jr. of El Rio, a farmer of that section and a pretty strong fighter when it comes to a political scrap. While Driffill is regarded as a strong man in the county the politicians are saying that he will stand little show against Snow if Senator Bard is behind the latter.

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT.

P. J. Doyle, recently in the employ of A. C. Dietz, owner of the Ferndale ranch near Santa Paula, was arrested a few days ago on complaint of C. L. Dietz, who alleged a breach of the peace by an assault upon the person of Dietz. At the same time information was filed by A. C. Dietz charging Doyle with the utterance of threats against the life of the elder Dietz, and asking that Doyle be restrained from carrying out his threat. Trial of the cases was delayed by the absence of witnesses and Doyle was given his liberty upon the guarantees of a prominent Santa Paulan that he will appear when wanted.

VENTURA NEWS IN BRIEF.

Fifty men, including the government reservation rangers are scouring the hills in the search for Harry Radford's body, for finding him alive his been given up by his friends.

S. B. Bagnall of Oxnard has been appointed by the Board of Trustees of this city to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of O. J. Coen.

The Ventura High School athletic team has elected the following officers: President, R. C. Gabbert; vice-president and track captain, Jack Morrison; treasurer, Frank Bates; secretary, Arthur Hudson.

SAN LUIS OBISPO.

SWINDLED THE FARMERS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Jan. 24.—For a month past a man giving the name of P. J. Queally of Oakland has been traveling throughout the county soliciting orders for merchandise and groceries, which he promised at a low figure. Many farmers gave him orders and paid a small amount to bind the bargain as he requested. It now turns out that Queally was a swindler and he has departed with $400 or $500. A warrant has been issued for his arrest.

The man arrested on suspicion of being the burglar who rolled the safe off of the Sunset Limited train near this city, has been formally charged with the crime. He refuses to give his name.

Ellis Wiey died yesterday from an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. Mary M. Hubbard, wife of the late A. F. Hubbard, the air-ship inventor, died here yesterday.

Andrew Detiefsen of Watsonville and Miss Elsie Nielson of Nipomo were married here today.

ON THE WATERFRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, JAN. 24.

Steamer Santa Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, from Seattle and Olympia, via San Francisco and Redondo.

Steamer Prentiss, Capt. Ahlstrom, from Portland, via Astoria and San Francisco.

Schooner Bainbridge, Capt. Englebretson, 16 days from Port Blakeley.

Schooner Winslow, Capt. Birkholm, 15 days from Everett.

SAILED—SUNDAY, JAN. 24.

Steamer Prentiss, Capt. Ahlstrom, for Redondo.

Steamer Coronado, Capt. Peterson, for San Francisco.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

SUNDAY, JAN. 24.

Steamer Santa Barbara, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer Prentiss, Southern Pacific wharf.
Steamer Homer, Crescent Wharf & W. Co.
Schooner W. F. Witzman, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Schooner Dora Bluhm, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.
Schooner Muriel, South. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Bainbridge, Southern Pacific wharf.
Schooner Winslow, Southwestern wharf.
Schooner C. S. Holmes, Salt Lake wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Centralia from Grays Harbor via San Francisco.
Steamer Melville Dollar, Seattle.
Steamer Lakme, from Eureka.
Steamer W. H. Kruger, from Eureka, via San Francisco.
Schooner Nokomis, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Maria E. Smith, from Port Ludlow.
Schooner Admiral, from Astoria.
Steamer Marion, from Aberdeen.
Schooner Meteor, from Winslow.
Schooner Falcon, from Aberdeen.
Schooner W. S. Smith, from Port Gamble.
Schooner Azalea, from Eureka.
Schooner Tamalpais, from Willapal Harbor.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Olympic, Fairhaven.
Bark Hayden Brown, Astoria.
Barkentine Quickstep, Tacoma.
Barkentine Katie Flickinger, Astoria.
Barkentine John Palmer, Port Gamble.
Steamer Wm. Nottingham, Port Townsend.
Schooner Comet, Aberdeen.
Schooner Mabel Gray, Eureka.
Schooner Lucy, Umpqua River.
Schooner Lyndall, Umpqua River.
Schooner Argus, Port Townsend.
Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.
Schooner Annie E. Smale, Astoria.
Schooner Sadie, Umpqua.
Schooner Caroline, Umpqua.
Schooner Columbia, Ballard.
Schooner Bertha Dohlbeer, Eureka.
Schooner F. S. Redfield, Tacoma.
Schooner Columbia, Ballard.
Schooner Endeavor, Port Townsend.
Schooner Robert Sparles, Port Townsend.
Schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Ballard.
Schooner Bertie Minor, Eureka.
Schooner Zampa, Astoria.
Schooner William Renton, Port Townsend.
Schooner Balboa, Winslow.
Schooner W. F. Jewett, Astoria.
Schooner Willis A. Holden, Everett.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips of Santa Catalina Island and return.

TO LEAVE—MONDAY, JAN. 25.

For San Francisco, steamer Homer, Capt. Donaldson.

For Seattle, via San Francisco, steamer Santa Barbara, Capt. Zaddart.

Wednesday, Jan. 27—For San Francisco, via way ports, steamer Bonita, Capt. Alberts.

Sunday, Jan. 31—For San Francisco, via way ports, steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Nicolson.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, JAN. 24.

Launch Fashion, from Long Beach, with passengers.

SAILED.

Launch Fashion, for Long Beach, with passengers.

Eight sailboats, for fishing grounds, and returned with fish for local markets.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Monday, Jan.	25	2:43 a.m.	8:52 a.m.
		3:23 p.m.	8:15 p.m.
Tuesday, "	26	3:47 a.m.	10:02 a.m.
		4:14 p.m.	9:27 p.m.
Wednesday, "	27	4:48 a.m.	11:44 a.m.
		5:06 p.m.	10:38 p.m.
Thursday, "	28	5:4 a.m.	0:41 p.m.
		6:50 p.m.	11:44 p.m.
Friday, "	29	6:35 a.m.	1:28 p.m.
		7:35 p.m.	
Saturday, "	30	7:20 a.m.	0:39 a.m.
		8:30 p.m.	2:10 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 12 miles.

The steamer Santa Barbara brought 85,000 feet of lumber consigned to local wholesalers.

The schooners C. S. Holmes, Winslow and Bainbridge brought lumber cargoes consigned to local wholesalers.

The steamer Prentiss put into port today from Portland, via San Francisco, and landed a spar for the North American Dredging Company. She then sailed for Redondo.

The steamer Coronado sailed for San Francisco with freight and passengers.

"DAVID GARRICK" AT STANFORD.

Los Angeles Girl is one of the Leading Character's in the Play.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 23.—The comedy of "David Garrick" was presented by the sophomore class in Assembly Hall last evening. All the parts were exceptionally well taken. A large audience was present. Dudley D. Sales of Denver was in the title role, and the leading female character, that of Ada Ingot, was excellently handled by Miss Frances L. Kerr of Glendora. Miss Mercedes De Luna of Los Angeles was clever as Miss Araminto Brown, a spirited spinster. Other parts were taken by Samuel Tilden Jordan of Redlands and William A. Paxton of Orange.

E. G. Brua of Rialto was yesterday elected president of the senior class.

William Butler Yeats, an Irish writer and poet, will deliver a lecture at Stanford Thursday evening, under the auspices of the English Club. Mr. Yeats is a strong advocate of the revival of the imaginative Celtic spirit in literature. He has written many essays and published some Irish folk tales, and has written much verse. Besides original work and criticism, he has edited selections from Irish novelists, and also the work of William Blake. Mr. Yeats is less than 40 years old. He was one of the founders of the Irish Literary Society, and the National Literary Society of Dublin.

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Various are the expedients which Russia brings into requisition in carrying out her ends. Privileges are obtained for her merchants and caravans to pass into, or through the coveted country for trade; to open stores and banks; to trade at ports and navigate rivers; to establish post routes with their various stations for exchange of drivers and horses, and to install consuls at various places. Concessions are secured for cutting timber, or operating mines on certain tracts of land, and rights are produced whereby Russia and her subjects may buy land and build consulates, stores and factories, and also dwellings for those who are connected with the various enterprises. Rights are also obtained, or taken, to protect consulates and other Russian property and to protect the Christian subjects of an unchristian government. Army reconnoitering expeditions are sent into the country with goods, disguised as merchants, or accompanied by detachment of Cossacks and claiming to be purely scientific expeditions. Out of pure generosity concessions which when asked for are represented as unimportant, assume great significance after they are granted, and are rigorously enforced and greatly expanded. What may pose as a legitimate and perfectly harmless business arrangement is extended, as later construed by Russia, to cover privileges far beyond anything the victim ever dreamed of. The concessions which Russia exacts from others are rarely accompanied with equivalent or adequate returns, and more often nothing is granted in exchange.—(World's Work.

The Rear Platform Hog.

I was born of ignorant parents.

Home, in my earliest recollections, was a barn, where I received all the bringing up I ever had.

Just outside of the barn was a pigsty. I studied the pigs zealously. It was as good as a schooling.

At an early age I began to hook on behind street cars.

Those were the influences that made me what I am.

Why don't I step forward?

Because I havn't brains enough to see that there's plenty of room ahead.

Because, if I had a lot of room to stand in I'd feel lost and unhappy.

Because other men don't step forward. I have as good a right to the back platform as the next man.

Because by standing outside I make it hard for passengers to get on and off. Thus I help create public enmity toward the trolley corporation.

Because I once knew the air in the street car to be bad, and I don't care to come into contact with bad things.

My great ambition is to go soak my head.

But I don't know how.

I don't know anything.

Sometimes I think I'm a sheep.

I am going home now to sit in all the easy chairs in the house and make my wife and family stand up.—[Newark Evening News.

New Teeth at 73.

"Why, grandma, you are getting new teeth," exclaimed little Mary Egart this afternoon after examing the gums in her grandmother's mouth.

For more than a week Mrs. Carolyn Seickfell, aged 73 years, has been suffering great pain with her gums. Today her grandchild discovered 13 new teeth that have cut through and more are coming. She declares that for weeks she has suffered untold agony with the pain and can now sympathize with little babies.

For more than 25 year the old lady has been toothless. She has two sons, 12 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.—[McKeesport (Pa.) cor. New York World.

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Contracted Disorders.

Of all the diseases peculiar to men, contracted disorders are the most [illegible] cut and try, hit and miss, treatment, administered by good friends, druggists, [illegible] general practice, and most of the would-be specialists. It is needless to hear the story of the average patient telling his experience with the different so-called treatment he has been "up against." A large majority of our patients come to us with all the original disease and part or all of the complications of delay and mistreatment. We generally have to cure them after some of the following conditions have developed: Chronic discharge, stricture, [illegible] of all of the bladder troubles, diseased prostate, sores, swellings, etc., besides the loss of confidence and mind are also diseased through failure and disappointment. A trifle with these disorders, go to a doctor who knows how to cure you in the cheapest, surest and shortest way out. We have been 21 years in the business.

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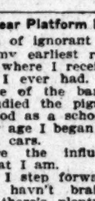

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PASADENA MAY GET ARMY POST.

SIGNIFICANCE ATTACHED TO RECENT VISIT OF OFFICERS.

Valley Hunt Club Delightfully Entertains With Evening of Drama. Board of Trade Will Have Southern California Exhibit.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, 28 South Raymond Avenue, Jan. 24. There is some stir in military circles on account of the visit here a short time ago of a commission of army officers, who made an investigation of the facilities for placing in Pasadena or suburbs a military post, to be under the authority of the War Department. The commissioners were Col. [illegible] of the Engineering Department, Col. Bowden, Maj. Wallace and Capt. [illegible]. They kept their mission a secret while here, but have since admitted to a Pasadenan, who is interested, that they took very favorably upon the locations offered by the Crown of the Valley. The officers are now in Washington, Ariz., another possible site for a post.

It is said that Pasadena offers a desirable location because land can be secured cheaply, and the soldier boys will not be subjected to as many temptations as are offered by the metropolis. Phoenix is reported as dead as the plum, but may be resurrected by the Santa Fe for inland for quick transportation of troops.

VALLEY HUNT CLUB.

[illegible] have the members of the Valley Hunt Club and their friends been delightfully entertained than upon Saturday evening, when for the [illegible] the club's history they witnessed a dramatic presentation [illegible] by some of their members. [illegible] unsuspected histrionic talent has been lying dormant has been exhumed, and so great was the success scored that many who had the misfortune of witnessing the performance are clamoring for the repetition, and the request has already been made [illegible] it is so repeated before Lent at Hollenbeck Green for the benefit of the Children's Home or some other charity. [illegible] is that but three rehearsals were given to the production renders more than creditable the finished performance. The farces in the evening were not [illegible] amusing, but by the clever [illegible] of those taking part they were made side-splitting.

The parts were very evenly divided in the certain-raiser, "The Bandit [illegible] Mrs. Sinclair and Miss Lucy [illegible] the humorous maiden aunts so lovingly [illegible] while Miss Hamblin made the most [illegible] the absurdities they [illegible] into their respective parts. Miss [illegible], who never looked prettier, [illegible] the hearts of the audience [illegible] with her pathetic distresses and in her [illegible] Christmas; Miss Sinclair made [illegible] the evening in her impersonation [illegible] Midget, the forceful and re-

"The Long Lost Nephew," while [illegible] action and denouement, was [illegible] diverting.

Mr. Fisher with his burnished [illegible] mannerisms was comparatively [illegible] and did the doting uncle [illegible] guardian to perfection. Miss [illegible] Haisted in the title role [illegible] himself with youthful abandon [illegible] such surprising situations, and [illegible] love as if he were used to it, [illegible] few amateurs do.

Mr. Pyle as a country swain covered himself with glory, and was surely the right man in the right place. [illegible] laurels of the evening, however, were shared between Miss Behr and Mr. T. Vandevort. The former [illegible] Miss Bashful was captivating in her winsomeness and coquetries; [illegible] as Patty, the maid, scored [illegible] her usual successes, for Miss [illegible] Vevort has appeared before in Pasadena in amateur theatricals and was [illegible] one of the grace, self-poise and [illegible] which has always distinguished [illegible].

The [illegible] the performance, which was [illegible] by about 150 persons, came [illegible] refreshments, and later, dancing. [illegible] Board of Trade has decided to [illegible] an exhibit of Southern California [illegible] products in the rooms on West [illegible] street. The board extends an [illegible] to persons wishing to contribute specimens of citrus fruit, that [illegible] be the only kind in season [illegible]. Later on other kinds may be [illegible]. Anything particularly fine [illegible] is especially desired. Secretary [illegible] will have a fine glass case [illegible] the exhibit. This case will be [illegible] the office near the secretary's [illegible] part of his duty will be to [illegible] the questions put by information [illegible] waiterers.

BY THE WAY.

The Scots will remember the [illegible] of Robert Burns with a banquet [illegible] Hotel Maryland.

[illegible] say that they will have [illegible] war against rapid-scudding [illegible] chauffeurs are becoming altogether independent.

[illegible] regular monthly social night of the [illegible] A. next Thursday will be [illegible] into a reception for the new [illegible] association officials.

[illegible] Williams, aged 23 years, died [illegible] at his home in North Pasadena [illegible]. The funeral will be held at 11 [illegible] morning at the residence [illegible]. Rev. J. M. Newel of Los [illegible] will conduct the services.

[illegible] tion of Mrs. C. L. Mason of [illegible] na avenue, who sustained a [illegible] fracture of the nose and was [illegible] painfully injured in a run [illegible] accident Saturday, was reported [illegible] to be being much improved. [illegible] physician has hopes of her [illegible] recovery.

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acted disorders are the most abused of ered by good friends, druggists, doctors specialists. It is certainly interesting his experience with the different kinds " A large majority of our patients or all of the complications resulting from to cure them after some or all of the discharge, stricture, or all of the bowellings, etc., besides a patient through failure and disappointment. Who knows how to cure you; it is have been 21 years in the business.

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

ASADENA MAY GET ARMY POST.

NCE ATTACHED TO RE-NT VISIT OF OFFICERS.

ay Host Club Delightfully En-ains With Evening of Drama. ard of Trade Will Have South-California Exhibit.

ASADENA, Office of The Times. 8 South Raymond Avenue, Jan. re is some stir in military circles account of the visit here a ew ago of a commission of army s who made an investigation of ations for placing in Pasadena a military post, to be under authority of the War Department. The commissioners were Col. of the Engineering Department, Bowles, Maj. Wallace and Capt. They kept their mission a se- only here, but have since ad- Pasadenan, who is interested, ot look very favorably upon the ations offered by the Crown of ia. The officers are now in Ariz., another possible site post.

ed that Pasadena offers a de- ation because land can be cheaply, and the soldier boys ot be subjected to as many ons as are offered by the me- Phoenix is reported as de- ble plum, but may be regarded r inland for quick transportation troops.

VALLEY HUNT CLUB.
bers of the Valley Hunt Club and their friends been delightfully entertained than up- day evening, when for the time in the club's history they ed a dramatic presentation ly one of their members. unsuspected histrionic talent Miss Dorman has been exhibited, and so great was the success that many who had the pleasure of witnessing the performance are expecting for the repetition, and which has already been made a repeated before Lent at Hollenbeck Home for the benefit of the Children's Home or some other charity.

It is said that but three rehearsals were held in production renders more than the finished performance. The ladies in themselves were sufficiently amusing, but by the clever manner in which they took their respective parts they were simply side-splitting.

The cast were very evenly divided in point of merit, "The Burglar Alarm," with Mrs. Sinclair and Miss Lucia Thorpe as maiden aunts of lovely but quite unsuitable in their manner of the absurdities they introduced their respective parts. Miss Thorpe, who never looked prettier, made hearts of the audience throb with domestic distresses and in her love dilemmas; Miss Sinclair made a most interesting evening in her impersonation of Bridget, the forceful and resourceful "Long Lost Nephew," while the recitation and denouement, was most entertaining.

Mrs. Pixley Pixley with his burnsides and dignified manner was completely disguised, and did the doting uncle and guardian to perfection.

Mrs. Halsted in the title role surprised herself with youthful abandon in such surprising situation, and drew as if were used to it, like amateurs do.

Mr. Pyle as a country swain covered himself with glory, and was surely the right man in the right place.

The interludes of the evening, however, were shared between Miss Behr and Mr. Vandevort. The former Miss Hasbrouck was captivating in her winsomeness and coquetries; and as Patty, the maid, score d her usual successes, for Mrs. Hasbrouck has appeared before in Pasadena as an amateur theatricals and each one of the grace, self-poise and ease which has always distinguished her.

The performance, which was attended by about 150 persons, came to an end, and later, dancing.

The Board of Trade has decided to make an exhibit of Southern California products in the rooms on West Colorado street. The board extends an invitation to all persons wishing to contribute specimens of citrus fruit, that may be the only kind in season. Later on other kinds may be added. Anything particularly fine will be especially desired. Secretary Wilson will have a fine glass case for the exhibit. This case will be placed in the office near the secretary's desk, and it is part of his duty will be to see that the directions put by information seekers.

BY THE WAY.

Scots will remember the birth of Robert Burns with a banquet Maryland.

They say that they will have war against rapid-scudding and officers are becoming altogether independent.

The monthly social night of the C. A. next Thursday will be given a reception for the new association officials.

Mrs. Adams, aged 38 years, died at his home in North Pasadena. The funeral will be held at 11 o'clock this morning at the residence of the son, Rev. J. M. Newel of Los Angeles will conduct the services.

Mrs. Mason of the Institution of Mrs. C. L. Mason of Orange avenue, who sustained a fracture of the nose and was painfully injured in a run Saturday, was reported on Sunday as being much improved. The physician has hopes of her recovery.

Dieusch's for picture framing and mirrors. 46 N. Los Robles.

Window shades. Pennel.

Engraving and steel die stamping at

The fox terrier dog belonging to Mrs. Hull of 716 Hull street, has strayed. She offers $100 reward for information which will lead to the conviction of the guilty person.

Examined at Wadsworth's.

SAN PEDRO.

HARBOR FORTIFIED.

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 24.—There is a feeling here that the harbor of refuge should be properly fortified by the Federal government. With the completion of the breakwater the harbor will have been transformed from an open roadstead into a harbor of refuge and commerce. The growth for the past year has been phenomenal, and the addition of hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of property in ships and other craft are anchored here. A prominent man, familiar with coast defenses, said today that with the co-operation of the commercial organizations of San Pedro and Los Angeles the harbor could easily be secured from attack. Wilson, chief of the Engineers of the army, was here in 1898, he said this would surely be done within two years. San Diego is supplied with two batteries of rapid-fire guns and one battery of six-inch guns, and maintains two companies of artillery, about 120 men. If San Diego requires this defense, San Pedro requires them all the more. The government owns a reservation overlooking the outer harbor, upon which to build the defenses.

MUST HAVE READ YELLOW SHEETS.

COVINA MAN DEFIES OFFICER, BUT SOON REPENTS.

Talks to Prisoners Through Bars, Is Ordered Away, Grows Ugly and Is Cured by Bitter but Effective Medicine.

COVINA, Jan. 24.—Covina has been in a state of excitement, due to the wild and exaggerated rumors circulated regarding the condition of a laboring man, George Elliott, who, after an altercation with Constable George Van Vliet yesterday took the full count, twenty minutes having passed before he realized that he had run up against the real thing.

Elliott has been discovered several times by the Constable talking to prisoners through the grating in the small jail in which prisoners are held temporarily to await removal to the County Jail.

Yesterday afternoon the Constable again discovered the man at the grating, and ordered him away.

Elliott refused to obey.

In the mix up which followed, the fellow got decidedly the worst of it.

Dr. J. D. Reed found the man suffering from a cut on the left cheek bone and also one on the right side of the jaw. He ridiculed the idea that the man was struck with anything but the Constable's fist.

This afternoon Elliott's friends insisted on calling in another physician. When called upon by The Times reporter, the doctor stated that Elliott's pulse and temperature were nearly normal, and the pupils of his eyes showed no evidence of concussion. He said there is no reason why the man should not be up and around tomorrow.

Constable Van Vliet is an efficient officer and has the respect of the community.

EXPERIENCE SOCIAL.

More than eighty members of the Christian Endeavor Society and their friends assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Beardslee on East Puente street, Friday evening for an "experience social." Each one told how he had earned donations toward the organ fund for the new Christian Church, and the sum of $116 was handed in.

A force of men began work yesterday opening up School street through the Hostetter tract. Mains will be laid, and many new cottages will be built.

The funeral of Mrs. Raymare Middleton was held at the residence of her sister, Mrs. S. A. Stowell, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Alfred Fletcher officiating. The interment was in Oakdale.

ALHAMBRA.

ORGANIZATION PROPOSED.

ALHAMBRA, Jan. 24.—Preliminary meetings were held here Thursday evening for the purpose of organizing two important public associations, one for business, the other for pleasure. Those who attended the first discussed the advisability of forming a Board of Trade in Alhambra, and appointed a committee to investigate the matter, and if feasible report a plan of organization. At the second meeting a number of people interested in the formation of a San Gabriel Valley Country Club, chose Supervisor O. W. Longden chairman, and empowered him to appoint a committee of seven on organization, five on membership and three on finance.

NEWSY NOTES.

The Wednesday Afternoon Club was favored with an interesting paper on "California History" by Mrs. I. R. Halsted. It included the work of the Spanish Governors from 1825 to 1850, and an interesting tale concerning the founding of Los Angeles. Next week Rev. Dana Bartlett of Bethlehem Institutional Church, Los Angeles, will address the club on "Settlement Work."

The following officers were recently installed in Alhambra Lodge, Knights of Pythias: Jacob Koch, C.C.; Harry C. Richardson, V.C.; D. E. Hoover, Prelate; Dr. F. B. Elwood, M. of W.; William Pollard, K. of R.S.; Neal Sorenson, M. of E.; Frank L. Hilton, M. of F.; William Bayles, I.G.; James Gastineau, O.G. A banquet followed the installation at Mr. Gastineau's.

The baseball game between the Alhambra and Woodbury College team at Alhambra yesterday resulted in a victory for the home team by a score of 10 to 6.

The next meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held in the Borden upper hall on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Gentlemen are invited.

On and after February 1 the doors of Alhambra Bank will close at 3 o'clock each banking day.

CATALINA ISLAND.

DEATH OF R. M. BOYD.

AVALON, Jan. 24.—R. M. Boyd, a wholesale grocer of Marysville, Cal., who came to Catalina a few days ago in search of health, accompanied by his wife, died very suddenly yesterday morning. His remains were taken over to Los Angeles.

Prof. C. F. Horder of Pasadena is spending a few days at the Metropole.

J. B. Richardson, a newspaper man of Davenport, Iowa, and Frank Miller of the Rock Island Railroad are here today.

J. D. Brattell, a mining man of Leadville, Colo., and wife are at the Bay View Hotel.

R. B. Jeivenal and wife, Wesley Jeivenal and wife, and Mrs. S. Clenlenid, of Des Moines, Iowa, is at Hotel Bay View.

L. Skinner and wife of Kalamazoo Mich., and F. T. Pursel of Los Angeles are at the Windsor for a week.

Stop at Paso Robles
First-class tickets between San Francisco and Los Angeles, either direction, including stop of two days' entertainment at famous Paso Robles Hot Springs Hotel, only $21; children $12.50. Privilege of thirty days' stopover. Best of fare and service at hotel. Curative mud or hot water baths, fine drives; invigorating mountain air; warm sunshine. Just the place to rest. Full information of Southern Pacific ticket agents.

LARGE GIFT TO POMONA COLLEGE.

CHURCH SUBSCRIBES OVER ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Appeal for Much-needed Help Meets With Prompt and Generous Response—The Pomological Club's Meeting of Interest to Ranchers.

CLAREMONT, Jan. 24.—Pomona College today received another substantial gift. It was the day for the annual offering of the church to the college, and the sum of $1266.94 was subscribed by individual members of the church and by other friends of the college who were present during the services.

President George A. Gates, the first speaker, referred to the manner in which the churches of Southern California have helped support the college. The Claremont church has stood among the foremost. Dr. Gates then spoke in answer to the question: "What is a college for?" He said in part:

"Colleges have done much to mold the life of the great men of this nation. Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States, stands as a noble example of college training. As a rich young man he chose rather a life of service to country than a life of selfish enjoyment and ease. He entered politics not to fill his own pocket, not to serve his party, not to win to himself honor, but to support the right, at whatever cost. When implored by party leaders not to reveal hidden corruption, and even when threatened by them, he has acted fearlessly and conscientiously, and regardless of result to self or party."

Rev. Henry Kingman presented the needs of the college. He said that at no time in the history of the college has there been greater need of funds to carry on the institution.

There was generous response to the calls for assistance, and when the count had been made of the subscriptions and collections for the college the substantial sum of $1266.94 was the result of the appeal.

OF INTEREST TO RANCHERS.

The Pomological Club will hold its monthly meeting tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock p.m., at the home of Mrs. Voorhees. It will be an interesting meeting for all Californians and ranchers. George Dunlap of Hollywood will discuss the national good-roads law and the parcels-post law, before Congress. Prof. A. J. Cook will speak on two insects, lately discovered, dangerous to all forms of plant life. Frank L. Palmer will discuss the red spider, the deadly foe of orange growers, and will make suggestions to ranchers as to how they may best utilize the new fertilizer law.

COLLEGE-TOWN NOTES.

"Resolved, that the President's attitude in recognizing the Panama republic was unjust," was the subject of a warm debate at the session of the P.C. D.C. Friday night. The winning affirmative was supported by W. C. Eberle and C. A. Reed, and the negative by H. Hawkinson and H. L. Parks.

J. H. Ross, manager of the Union Hive and Box Factory of Los Angeles, is visiting his brother, Howard Ross, of the Senior class.

Paul Davis, '03 Throop Polytechnic Institute, is spending a couple of days with Frank Reid, '04.

The first recital of the year, by the faculty of the School of Music, will be given tomorrow evening at 8 p.m. in the college chapel, by Prof. T. J. Irwin, assisted by Miss Kate Condit, soprano.

Miss Imogene Banto entertained at dinner last evening.

President Gates has organized a Sunday-school class for all young men of the college, not at present engaged in Bible study.

DOWNEY.

JOINT INSTALLATION.

DOWNEY, Jan. 24.—The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs held a joint installation. J. J. Nagle officiated as installing officer for the Odd Fellows and Mrs. Mary Jensen of San Pedro for the Rebekahs. Mrs. Jensen was accompanied by the team from San Pedro. The officers installed for the Odd Fellows are as follows: Thomas Stewart, N.G.; John Bartlett, R.S.; George Taylor, L.S.; B. D. Neighbors, V.G. Phillip McGaugh, R.S.; J. Raglan, L.S.; J. J. Nagle, recording secretary; Levi Ullery, financial secretary; D. P. Smart, treasurer; Millard Phillips, warden; Arthur Cohn, Con.; James Wylie, O.G. Those installed for the Rebekahs were: Mrs. Sarah Elliott, N.G.; Mrs. S. Huff, R.S.; Mrs. Julia Harris, L.S.; Mrs. Frank Hardgrave, V.G.; Miss Lizzie Reams, R.S.; Mrs. M. Weis, L.S.; Miss Ella Pendleton, chaplain; T. J. Hutchinson, secretary; Jake Perkins, financial secretary; Mrs. Lizzie Martin, treasurer; Miss Lizzie Weis, warden, and Miss Victoria Weis, con.

NEWS ITEMS.

At the stockholders' meeting of the Downey Creamery the following directors were elected: T. E. Haas, Daniel Lane, J. C. Stout, H. H. Felch and Joan Bartlett. The new board organized with D. Lane, president, and H. H. Felch, secretary.

Howard Smith of Colton visited his father, Joseph Smith, Thursday.

C. J. Smith and wife were here from Los Angeles today visiting J. O. Butler and family.

Henry T. Gage, wife and two daughters left Thursday night for a short visit in San Francisco.

A. L. Green of Jeffersonville, Ill., is visiting his brother, Joseph Green, of this place.

Vernon Renfro has returned from a five months' visit in Louisiana.

William Kitts and family of Long Beach have permanently ocated here.

Mrs. O. D. Bennett of Birmingham, Ala., accompanied by her cousins the Misses Beatrice and Alice Neighbors, and Miss Lena Hansford of Atlanta, Ga., are here.

RIVERA.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

RIVERA, Jan. 24.—The Cate Ditch Company has reelected its old board of directors, Cate, Coffman, Magill, McGaugh and Barlow.

William Wood has sold his home and with his family will remove soon to Whittier.

J. R. McIvried and family of Kansas City have leased Eugene Bryant's cottage.

The illness of Miss Mamie Burke has necessitated the postponement of the "handkerchief shower" to next Saturday.

AZUSA.

ANTI-SALOON FIGHT RENEWED.

AZUSA, Jan. 24.—A strong petition was presented to the City Trustees at their last meeting asking for the enactment of a stringent prohibition ordinance. It was decided to submit the question of prohibition to a vote of the people at the next city election the first week in April. It is claimed by advocates of the prohibition movement that there has been a marked change of sentiment on the subject among the people during the past few months, and that the vote will show a decided majority for closing the saloons.

Special meetings will be held in the Presbyterian Church this week. Rev. Charles M. Fisher of Monrovia will assist the pastor.

W.O.W. Lodge held a "smoker" Monday evening at the lodgeroom. John H. Foley of Los Angeles, a high official of the order, was present. The ladies of Verbena Circle perpetrated a surprise on the gentlemen by giving a chicken pie supper.

Oscar Chamberlain and family of Yale, Iowa, have been guests of W. S. Bridges and family.

Miss Martha Dodsworth, who has been with her mother at Phoenix, Ariz., is at home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Greever entertained a party of friends at dinner Saturday evening. The guests were Messrs. and Mmes. W. A. Sheldon, F. W. Hall and P. C. Daniels, Miss Edna Bearhart and Charles H. Edwards.

Mrs. A. C. Marshall is the guest of Mrs. John Smith of Pasadena for a few days.

Miss Pearl Bunch entertained Saturday evening at a flinch party. Those present were Misses Brunjes, Powell, Freshly and Myers and Messrs. Boudin, Richardson and Powell.

Verbena Circle W.O.W. enjoyed a banquet Wednesday evening, after installation of officers. Mrs. Worley of Los Angeles, grand manager of the lodge, was present and assisted in the installation.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Berner attended the wedding of Mr. Berner's sister in Los Angeles Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. V. Rice entertained at dinner on Friday Misses Gearhart and Powell, Mr. Sibley and Dana C. King.

Mrs. C. H. Judd is entertaining her sister, Mrs. John Boatright of Foster, Mo.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ANGELUS—Frank Bixby, Denver; Miss Duff, Miss Cora Anne Duff, Rochester, N. Y.; Mrs. Otto Guenbach, Mrs. C. Haffner, Chicago; J. H. Slattery and wife, Silverton, Colo.; Howard E. Eldredge, W. W. Humphreys, Pittsburgh; E. J. Smith, Oneida, N. Y.; N. Frances, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Patterson, Perry, N. Y.; Mrs. and Miss Page, Perry, N. Y.; G. R. R. Ingins, Kansas City; William A. Coleman, Troy, N. Y.; Edward Reis, New York; H. L. Kinsman, H. J. Morgan, Fred C. Cooley, Chicago; George E. Smith, Miss James C. Mellit, New York; Mr. W. Percival and wife, Covington, Ky.; W. A. Elliott, New York; John K. Ely, Springfield, Mass.; A. Rosenthal, New York; E. M. Heyl, San Antonio, Tex.; Joseph F. Keane and wife, Chicago; Joseph Adler, Rochester, N. Y.; George H. Fish and wife, Ogden, Utah; Frances M. Lozinsky, New York; Harry Chatten, Quincy, Ill.; Herman E. Meyer, N. J. O'Donnell, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sellwin, Seattle, Wash.; John Templin and wife, W. Collier, Whatcom, Wash.; L. Mushfelder, Cincinnati; W. S. Ray, Chicago; A. Wilburn, J. M. McDonald and wife, New York; J. D. Shattuck, Miss Tobin, San Francisco; F. L. Wright, Prescott, Ariz.; S. M. Kiser, Chicago; Marion Story and wife, Rochester, N. Y.

VAN NUYS—G. M. Grundy, Jersey City, N. J.; Miss Bertha E. Watt, Miss Edith G. Watt, Chicago; C. A. Baldwin, Santa Clara, Cal.; R. Frenkrun, S. Harris, San Francisco, Cal.; Samuel Carson, Chicago, Ill.; J. W. Godwin, Mrs. J. W. Godwin, Seattle, Wash.; Thomas W. Wallace, M. J. Phelan, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Percival, New York, B. W. Frank, San Francisco; A. N. Palmer, Providence, R. I.; D. L. Wittington, Honolulu; Mrs. Edward G. Lewis, Miss A. Smith, Mrs. R. F. Crabbe, St. Louis; Louis James and wife, Miss Alma Krusen, Frederick Wards, New York; E. C. Banen Colusa; Dr. George G. Strowbridge, Portland, Or.; Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pixley, Chester; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Nunstedler, San Francisco; Mrs. M. Mannheimer, Chicago.

WESTMINSTER—R. Lake, Mrs. Lake and child, San Francisco; F. B. Hubbard, Mrs. Hubbard, V. Hedlsheimer, R. A. Benjamin, Tacoma; Mrs. Benjamin, Danville, Ill.; A. W. Wells, Mrs. Wells and child, Galveston, Colo.; J. Cosgrove, Minneapolis; T. F. Mahon, Miss Nellie Mahon, Cleveland; F. F. Thee, Mrs. Thee, Philadelphia; H. H. Fisk, Mrs. Fisk, New York; T. C. Barnett, Mrs. Barnett, San Jose; Mrs. George Rowe, Boston.

BROADWAY VAN NUYS—E. R. Derry, C. E. E. Johnson, T. R. Goodhue, Mrs. Harris and daughter, New York; W. S. Mason, Mrs. Heidelberg and son, La Salle, Ill.; E. R. Ballard and wife, Davenport, Iowa; C. H. Hill, San Francisco; P. J. Berger, J. E. Mahoney, W. Wayne Elliott, Boston; Charles T. Fuller, Utica, N. Y.; J. J. Doppler, W. R. Romaine, New York.

NADEAU—Abe Goldstein, G. H. Connaught, J. W. Keystone, Nat. Franklin, Ed L. Shaw, George E. Jones, Albert Simmons, D. Mcweide, L. Ruiz, R. C. Brown and wife, San Francisco; B. E. Walker, M. N. Groow, Mrs. S. Groow, San Jose; A. R. Sweet, St. Louis; Mrs. Emma McDermott, Cleveland; R. S. Nell, Portland; Melchior Schaal, Mrs. M. Schaal, Joseph M. Schaal, Alphonse Schaal, Toledo, O.; James Dell, C. J. Donaldson, Chicago; N. L. Cummings, Minneapolis; H. H. Simmons, Memphis, Tenn.; C. Rockhill and wife, Washington, D. C.; Clara Hall, Phoenix, Ariz.; C. H. Harris, F. E. Hall, Jerome, Ariz.; S. D. Sailing, San Diego; Carl H. Fels, Minneapolis; T. J. Dunson, Oakdale, Iowa; Robert McBride, Paola, Kan.; Morris Ansell, London, R. T. Hagner, New York; C. D. Robbins and wife, Arthur, Ill.; R. N. Geller, Bells, Ariz.; Richard Garvey, Jr., Gavinla; G. C. D. Sacramento; Edwin Dunphy, Stanford; Nate Moran, St. Joseph, Mo.; Curran, Stanford; Frank Treckler, Needles; D. Gochenaur, San Diego; Ernst Summer, New York; Harry Breitstatter, Yuma; J. W. Baldwin, Grand Rapids, Mich.; C. G. Santpo, Holland.

ROSLYN—Ione Leonard, Olga Hatlano, Miss Vernon, Harry McFarlen, Katrina Johnson, J. H. Holland, New York; S. P. Bowman, George McCulla, Frank Garrison, George Sunday, Joseph Kelly, Chicago; John P. Lide and wife, Detroit; M. J. Phelan and wife, Toronto, Can.; H. E. Mills, St. Thomas; Mrs. L. H. Griffith, M. J. Sullivan, Alfred Jackson, Mr. Jackson, San Francisco; E. E. Calster, Santa Barbara; F. P. Sappington, Mrs. S. M. Walts, Sandusky, Mo.; Lucie K. Ellis and niece, Ruby Raymond, New York; J. Bonavich and wife, St. Louis; I. W. Repps and wife, L. D. Pope and wife, La Moll.; Dl.; D. H. Wilson, Cleveland, O.; D. Hilbers, Robert A. Smith, Hregan, Neb.; R. A. Templeton, Tekamah, Neb.; D. H. Wilson, Cleveland, O.; J. P. Gillespie, Ada, Okla.; Alex Jiry Harsell, New York; Ed Graham, San Diego.

NATICK—D. McBride, San Francisco; Robert McBride, Kansas; A. R. Hurst, Minneapolis; W. F. Stevenson, Ed Graham, San Diego; J. Burton, Butte; O. L. Hansen, Seattle; Mrs. Jam's Puck, Miss Puck, Sioux City, Iowa; G. Hoffman, New York; C. Hoffman, Detroit; Ed Dunn, Sherlow, WY.; New York; C. Kellogg, Dunn; D. B. Stahl, Phoenix; George H. Tupper and wife, Ogden.

NATICK—Charles Bartlett and wife, Chester; F. Brown, San Francisco; J. B. Crandlens, Minnesota; D. McLellan, Durham, N. S.; J. J. Carmiber, Mandan; J. Tuttle, San Francisco; J. George and wife, Buffalo; J. F. Ringose, J. E. Gansel, Alma Center, Wis.; W. J. Wall and wife, Marion, Kan.; G. W. Pfeffer, Pittsburg; F. Young, Chicago; D. W. R. Oliver, San Francisco; J. Van Etten and wife, New York; J. K. Wells, Springfield, Ill.; Albert Jones, R. Applegate, Idaho; H. G. Bates, Chatterville.

FIRE IN SOUR LAKE.

HOUSTON (Tex.) Jan. 24.—Fire today destroyed several blocks of frame business houses at Sour Lake, I. T., and got into the Cañon tract in the oil fields, doing much damage. The loss is estimated at $200,000.

BEE MEN ARE BLUE, COLONIES MAY DIE.

"UNLESS we get rain and get it very soon, not one pound of honey will be shipped from Southern California this year," said L. E. Mercer, secretary of the California National Honey Producers' Association yesterday afternoon. "There are about 50,000 colonies of bees in California, south of the Tehachepi Mountains and it begins to look as if a large percentage of these colonies will die. The colonies will commence breeding next month, and if the season continues dry they will breed very light, badly weakening the colonies. What the bees need most for carrying them over this year is the pollen and except for the eucalyptus and the orange blossoms the flowers are very scarce. In 1898 the bees could get almost no pollen, and the indications are worse this year than they were then."

"The hands of the beekeepers are up in the air," said M. H. Mendleson, who owns 1600 colonies in Ventura county. "We are up against the same proposition which we had to face in '98, and from the beekeepers' point of view nothing can save the colonies but a repetition of our good fortune of that year. We got our first rain on January 27, and then a flood in February and the colonies were saved. Yes, we feel pretty bad. We could stand not getting an output until 1905 provided the colonies held up, but to know that thousands of them are going to die off if the rain does not come is what gives us the blues.

"Between 75 and 80 per cent. of the honey output of Southern California is sage honey. The sage flowers about the last of March or the first of April, and you can see that the honey crop depends very largely on the sage flow. In certain sections of this part of California the bees have a spike in the eucalyptus bloom which has been very heavy this year, keeping the colonies in good condition. Around Riverside, Redlands and Covina the bees can depend on the orange blossoms, and the orange honey is of a very superior quality. The flow is heavy and rich, and the bees never go to an inferior source of supply, but select the flowers yielding the greatest flow.

"The output last year for Southern California was 150 cars, and this the bee men claim, was but a third of a crop. What honey is produced this year will all be comb honey, and no honey will be extracted, in any event," Mr. Mendelson added. "The price of honey is bound to advance to a high figure."

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Horses and Cows, Farming Implements.
TUESDAY, JAN. 26
At 10 o'clock a. m.
Central Avenue,
Opposite Ascot Park.
Consisting of horses, cows, hogs, farm wagons, carriage, top buggy, harness, spring wagon, plows, spray pump, mower, horse rake, feed cutter, 100 fruit boxes, 2000 trays for fruit.
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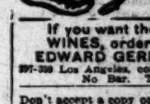

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Eastern Star Ball.

Loyalty Lodge, No. 217, Order of the Eastern Star, will give a ball at Kramer's Hall on the evening of January 29.

Mojonier Photos.

The pictures of the Schubert Octette, reproduced in yesterday's Times, were from negatives made by Mojonier, the South Broadway photographer.

Real Estate Sale.

W. T. Stewart has purchased of Annie S. Leach, through the agency of W. I. Hollingsworth & Co., 120x157 feet on the southwest corner of Grand avenue and Tenth street, unimproved. Consideration named, $28,750.

Compton Burglary.

Another Compton burglary was reported to the detectives yesterday morning. Some time Saturday burglars entered the home of J. M. Hart and secured an overcoat with several other articles of wearing apparel and a number of pieces of tableware.

Radio-Active Minerals.

The geological section of the Academy of Sciences will meet at the Woman's Cub house this evening. E. M. Wade will exhibit a sample of radium, and Arthur D. Houghton, M.D., will exhibit specimens of radio-active minerals, and explain their properties.

Commodore Gerry.

The wife of Commodore Gerry and party will arrive in Los Angeles this morning on a special train from Santa Barbara. They will return tomorrow. Commodore Gerry is spending a week at Santa Barbara and will pass through Los Angeles the latter part of the week on his way to New Orleans.

Chinatown Fireworks.

A one-story frame building at 828 and 830 Benjamin street, in Chinatown, was destroyed by fire about 9 o'clock last night. The place was occupied by Ching Lee & Co., vegetable dealers, and in the rear were about thirty wagons and horses, all of which were taken out without injury.

Washington Lodge.

Washington Lodge of the Fraternal Brotherhood installed officers Thursday night. Pasadena Lodge did the installation work, assisted by twelve young ladies in white. Four applicants for membership were initiated and one was received by card. The services were followed by dancing.

Holmes Seat Sale.

Single seat sales open at the Union Pacific Ticket Office this morning for the Burton Holmes lectures upon Russo-Japanese subjects. Mr. Holmes commences Wednesday evening, speaking upon "Korea." Special rates are to be given to schools and colleges, as well as to purchasers of single tickets.

Mr. Maier Improving.

Joseph Maier, who was taken with an attack of heart trouble two weeks ago, is reported by the family physician to be steadily improving. It had been reported that Mr. Maier was unconscious and was not expected to live through the night, but the patient is doing well and no fears are entertained as to his recovery.

James-Warde Opening.

Louis James and Frederick Warde will open their regular Los Angeles season at the Mason Operahouse tonight, presenting their new spectacular production, "Alexander the Great." Ward and James bring a large company of fifty people with them this year, including Norman Hackett and other well-known theatrical lights.

For Conwell Lecture.

The reserved seat chart for the sale of tickets for Dr. Conwell's appearance in Simpson Auditorium on Thursday evening, opens in Bartlett's Music Store, Blanchard Bldg., this morning at 9 o'clock. Indications point to a very large sale, as Dr. Conwell is one of the most popular speakers who has been brought to the Coast.

Car off Track.

A Whittier car of the Pacific Electric jumped the track near the Los Angeles city limits last night, delaying traffic for about an hour. The rails were slippery with fog and the car failed to stop at a frog where a switch was to be thrown. Beyond a little shaking up of the passengers no damage was done.

Mike's Sensation.

Mike Shehan, a laborer, created a sensation on Los Angeles street yesterday morning by suddenly dropping dead while strolling along the street. At least he was dead to all intents and purposes, and his case was so reported at the Police Station. The ambulance was sent down and Shehan was brought to the station, where a liberal dose of ammonia soon revived him. Shehan's case was diagnosed as an overdose of whisky.

The Firebug.

An unoccupied house at No. 1533 East Fourteenth street was found to be on fire last night about 8 o'clock. Neighbors reported that a man was seen running away from the house a short time before, and upon investigation it was found that an attempt had evidently been made at incendiarism. Some waste papers and trash in a closet were burning when the department arrived, but the flames were extinguished before any great damage was done. Firemen think the blaze was undoubtedly of incendiary origin. The house is owned by William S. Boyd.

G.A.R. Funeral.

Isaac McCoy, a veteran of Stanton Post, G.A.R., was buried with military honor from Vincent Church yesterday afternoon. Rev. Geo. A. Hough, conducted the service. Stanton Post Fife and Drum Corps with 100 comrades were in attendance. Chaplain Liscomb, U.S.A., read the impressive soldier burial service at the grave, and while taps were sounded each comrade placed a sprig of cypress on the casket of the man he loved. Mr. McCoy was a singing evangelist and has won a warm place in the hearts of the veterans of the G.A.R. Interment was at Rosedale Cemetery.

Pitiable Plight.

George Archer, a laborer employed at the grading camp of Stansbury Bros. at Ivanhoe, fell over a twenty-foot embankment on Stanislaus street about 11 o'clock Saturday night, breaking his leg, and remained there in a semi-unconscious condition until discovered yesterday morning at 8 o'clock. Archer came into the city Saturday night to make some purchases and started to walk back to the camp. In the dark he lost his way and misjudging a streak of light stepped over the embankment. He says he called for assistance all night, but nobody heard his cries. He was taken to the County Hospital.

A Jolly Barbecue.

Sixty employés of the Z. L. Parmelee Company had a barbecue at Portuguese Bend yesterday. They were taken to San Pedro in a special car on the Salt Lake Road, by Fred W. Horner, vice-president of the company, and C. E. Parkman, treasurer. At San Pedro the large side-wheel glass-bottomed boat, "Cleopatra," of the Meteor Boat Company was awaiting their arrival and the merry crowd piled aboard and steamed around to Portuguese Bend where the barbecue appeared and duly disappeared. A few braved the tumbling coldness of the breakers while others climbed the rocky hillside. The outing was most enjoyable and the newly-arrived employé from the East thought it was a novel entertainment for midwinter.

McIvor-Tyndall Lecture.

Blanchard Hall was filled to overflowing yesterday afternoon by an audience gathered to hear Dr. J. McIvor-Tyndall in the first of his series of lectures on practical psychology. His subject was "The Mission of the Psychic Science," and he urged the necessity of the scientific study of psychic manifestations as well as the operations of the sub-conscious mind. "Thought is not the result of brain-cell activity," says McIvor-Tyndall, "but is in itself one of the elementary substances. Material science assumes that there are no finer forces, and deals only with the crude forms of matter; but it is not necessary to go outside the laws governing the visible world to establish the fact that there is a psychic science." Some experiments in the power of thought were given at the close of the lecture. Dr. Tyndall will lecture next Sunday afternoon on "What is Thought?"

Beelman Killed Himself.

W. C. C. Beelman, an expert machinist 46 years old, employed in a Main-street automobile repair shop, committed suicide yesterday morning about 10:30 o'clock by shooting himself through the head in the Ruby rooming-house, No. 704 North Main street. Beelman died in the ambulance while being removed to the Receiving Hospital. For several weeks Beelman had been drinking heavily and the suicide was attributed to this cause. Until about a week ago Beelman had roomed at the Ruby, where he was on good terms with everyone about the place. He was especially fond of the two little children of Mrs. M. L. Culp, the landlady, and after leaving the place he frequently called to frolic with the youngsters. Yesterday morning he called and found H. G. Parker, another roomer, playing with the children in the parlor. He appeared to have been drinking and was evidently displeased when he found Parker with the children. He asked for Mrs. Culp and her sister, Miss Kate McKenzie, and upon being told that they were upstairs, he remarked: "Well, this is the last time I'll ever go up these stairs," and drawing a revolver attempted to place the muzzle to his head. Parker remonstrated with the man and told him to put up the weapon, but this seemed to excite him, for turning the revolver on Parker he threatened to blow out his brains. In the mean time the women in the house had become alarmed by the loud words and rushing downstairs they attmpted to get the children out of the room. During the confusion that followed Beelman quietly placed the revolver to his head and pulled the trigger. Beelman was unmarried and only came here about six months ago from Chicago. He has relatives in Smithville, O., and Richmond, Ind. An inquest will be held today.

BREVITIES.

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AGAINST KING PETER.

Servians and Montenegrins Living Abroad are Engaged in a Vigorous Agitation.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VIENNA, Jan. 24.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A telegram from Belgrade reports that Servians and Montenegrins living abroad are engaged in a vigorous agitation against the Karageorgevitch dynasty and have given planned a conspiracy against King Peter. Pamphlets have been distributed in one of the Balkan States describing King Peter's active agitation against King Alexander and making serious charges against him. While the Servian government declines to consider this movement seriously, instructions have been issued to keep a sharp watch over Servian and Montenegrin emigrants. It is conjectured that this conspiracy is the work of either Montenegrins or the sisters of the late Queen Draga.

A dispatch to the Neues Weiner Journal from Samlin, which is six miles from Belgrade, says that a number of drunken army officers belonging to the "murder party" recently made a demonstration in a restaurant at Belgrade against the powers, during which portraits of Emperor Francis Joseph and the Czar were burned. The offending officers were court-martialed, but upon a special order from King Peter, the proceedings were stopped.

BIRTH RECORD.

WINTER—To Mrs. Joseph Winter, January 24, 1904, a daughter.

DEATH RECORD.

HILLARD—Mrs. Margaret A. Hillard. Funeral services Tuesday, 10 o'clock, No. 456 W. of Walnut street, Pasadena. Interment Rosedale Cemetery at 3 o'clock. Services at the grave.

McCARTY—January 23, 1904, Mrs. Fannie E. McCarty, wife of J. A. and mother of W. H., Maud E., W. G., Lena A. and Florence E. McCarty, aged 43 years. Funeral from Breese Bros.' undertaking parlors, Monday, January 25, at 10 a.m. Friends invited.

ARCHER—In this city, January 24, 1904, Ada E. Archer, beloved wife of F. K. Archer. Funeral Monday (today,) 2 p.m., from the mortuary chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., 310 S. Flower street. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

Notice, Knights of Pythias.

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